

## Analysis

### Dewitt MacKenzie Interprets Today's News From War Zones

BY DEWITT MACKENZIE

More and more it looks as though Hitler's success or failure in this war will depend on how stout the hearts of his people are in enduring harsh privation.

He is drawing on their fortitude right at the outset of a life and death struggle when their morale—their will to do—should be stimulated to the highest degree. He is banking on the efficacy of the Nazi discipline which he has imposed.

I can't get out of my mind the brief Berlin announcement putting the general public on a fiercely rigid clothing ration, in addition to the food restrictions already existing.

This order limits men to one suit, one shirt and five pairs of socks annually. Women are permitted one suit, one morning dress and six pairs of stockings. Children's allowances correspond.

Maybe as a native of northern New England, where we eat steak and pie for breakfast and wear ear-laps in winter, I place too much importance on food and clothing—but I don't think so, when it comes to the present situation.

To me the question of supplies, especially as relating to public morale, is the one on which Germany will stand or fall.

That rationing announcement was one of the most significant, despite its brevity, to come out of Europe since the war started.

Between the lines, you can read

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## Lee Center Man Pays Fine on Speed Charge

Ivan Wilson of Lee Center paid a fine of \$5 and costs assessed by Justice J. O. Shaulis last evening on a speeding charge preferred by State Officer Edward Mahan. In addition to the fine, Wilson was ordered to pay for the repair of about 65 feet of guard rail fence on Ravine avenue, just east of the city limits.

About 1 o'clock Wednesday morning, a car crashed into the guard rail fence as it sped down the Ravine avenue hill. The driver failed to report the damage and Officer Mahan in investigating, found a license plate which had been torn off the machine. Through the license number, he was able to locate the owner of the car who was ordered to report in Justice Shaulis court last night. Wilson's car was located at his home in Lee Center yesterday afternoon and was badly damaged but the driver and occupants fortunately escaped without serious injury.

## Ladle of Whitehot Lead Showers Metal on Men

Toledo, O., Nov. 16—(AP)—A five-ton ladle of whitehot lead cracked and showered molten metal on ten men as it was being moved by a crane today at the Unitcast Corp. plant.

Eugene Miller, 32, a molder, was killed. One of the nine others burned was in a critical condition.

The metal, heated to 3,000 degrees, was being moved to molds. It dropped about five feet to the floor, scattering over a distance of 30 feet where 20 workmen were engaged at various tasks. It spluttered and flamed as it struck the cold floor. Several small fires broke out but other workmen handled them with fire extinguishers.

## HEROIC NURSE OF WORLD WAR DIES

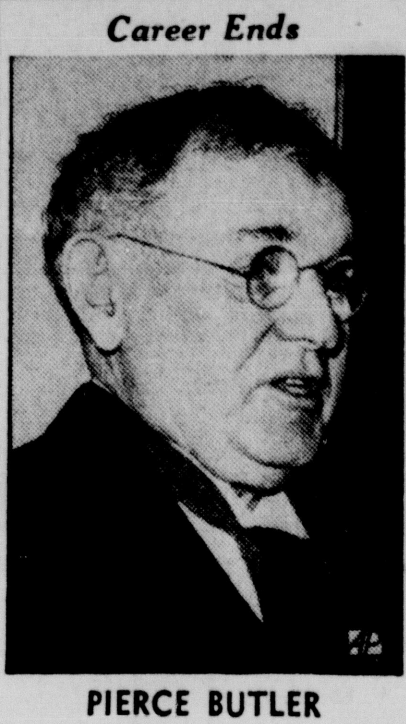
Pittsburgh, Nov. 16—(AP)—Complications following an operation claimed the life of Nurse Minette De Lozier who hid herself so well after heroic World War service that the French government hunted 17 years to award her the Croix de Guerre.

Death occurred yesterday in the quietness of her home where the modest Miss De Lozier—she wouldn't disclose her age—kept out of sight the many medals bestowed by the French and American governments for devotion to duty.

The nurse who once made a batch of candy for General John J. Pershing on the battlefields of France had to hunt for her awards if she could be persuaded to show them. She liked best the victory medal designating service in five major battles of the war with one of the most active Red Cross units at the front.

The French government finally caught up with with Miss De Lozier through her bonus check in 1936.

Asked how she won so many medals, Miss De Lozier replied "well, I guess it was just for long hours under fire. Sometimes we worked 74 to 76 hours straight through."



PIERCE BUTLER

The death today of Associate Justice Pierce Butler of the Supreme Court meant the President Roosevelt's appointees would be in the majority on the tribunal. Story in adjoining column.

## Warfront Quiet: World Considers Europe's Issues

(By The Associated Press)

Moscow—Soviet press renews attacks on Finland's foreign policy, accusing Finns of receiving English support.

Berlin—Authoritative German source says Reich will "fight until British supremacy in world is destroyed."

Paris—War activity on western front remains at a minimum.

Amsterdam—Netherlands and Belgium expected to consider whether to continue mediation efforts.

## RUSSIAN PRESS INCREASES RAPS AT FINN POLICY

Moscow, Nov. 16—(AP)—The Soviet Russian press, intensifying attacks on Finnish foreign policy, today quoted an Estonian newspaper as saying that Finland's "obduracy" was impairing her relations with the U. S. S. R.

In a dispatch from Tallinn, Tass, official Russian news agency, said the Estonian newspaper Uus Eesti had criticized Finland's military preparations and urged that she "regulate relations with her great eastern neighbor as soon as possible."

"Finland is hurting herself—no one can deny that," the dispatch quoted the paper as saying.

In another dispatch from Helsinki, capital of Finland, Tass charged that Finns were being taught to "hate Russians" with the encouragement of "the English bourgeoisie."

These attacks, reminiscent of Soviet newspaper comment preceding the Russian march into Poland two months ago, were interpreted by foreign observers as part of a campaign to induce Finland to grant Russia's demands for territorial concessions.

Deny "Impossible Demands"

Tass denied Russia had made any "impossible demands" during recent negotiations with Finland, which were suspended last Monday by recall of a Finnish mission from Moscow.

In Helsinki, it was indicated the talks would not be resumed unless the Russians provided a new basis for negotiations—presumably modification of their demands for readjustment of frontiers near Leningrad and naval bases in northern Finland and at the mouth of the Gulf of Finland.

Immediate cause of the attack apparently was the Finnish government's action in confiscating an issue of the magazine Soichu, which has printed articles friendly to Russia.

The Soviet press campaign also scored the United States for her "anxiety concerning Finland."

## Mrs. A. C. Resek Dies In Evanston Hospital

Mrs. A. C. Resek of Evanston and formerly of Dixon, passed away early this morning in the hospital in that city. She had been ill for several months.

Mrs. Resek was born in Dixon August 18, 1881 and spent most of her life in this city. Surviving are her husband, two daughters, the Misses Ains and Neva; one sister, Mrs. John Valle of Dixon; one brother, John Henry of Detroit and one uncle, George Henry of Dixon.

Funeral services will be held Saturday morning at the St. Luke's Episcopal church at 11:00 o'clock with the Rev. Fr. B. Norman Burke officiating and burial will be in Oakwood.

The remains will be brought today to the Jones funeral home where friends may view the deceased.

## Silent Loudspeakers Greet Bookies; Heavy Drop in Betting is Forecast

Chicago, Nov. 16—(AP)—The bookies' loudspeakers were as silent as a tomb today.

In thousands of betting rooms from coast to coast the voices relaying information from the nation's race tracks were missing for the first time in many years.

Rendered inarticulate by the dissolution of Nationwide News Service, Inc., a vast wire network, the loudspeakers remained as silent testimonials to federal opposition to the bookie business.

On orders from M. L. Annenberg and his associates in Nationwide News Service, who acted because of government opposition, the flow of turf information to clients throughout the nation, Canada and Cuba was stopped last night.

Many bookies apparently viewed the development as a challenge to their ingenuity and started devising new methods of getting turf news.

## SUPREME COURT LOSES ASSOCIATE JUSTICE BUTLER

### "Conservative" Member of High Tribunal Dies In 73rd Year

Washington, Nov. 16—(AP)—Associate Justice Pierce Butler of the Supreme Court died today.

The 73-year-old justice entered a hospital for treatment of bladder trouble last summer, and with the exception of two weeks when he was able to return to his home, he had remained there since.

His death meant that President Roosevelt's appointees would be in the majority on the court. Mr. Roosevelt has named four of those on the nine-man tribunal.

Butler was a Democrat, but officials of the Roosevelt administration had termed him one of the two "conservative" members of the court, the other being Justice James C. McReynolds.

Although Butler was the third oldest of the justices—Chief Justice Charles Evans Hughes, like McReynolds, is 77—he had been reported in robust health during the term of court which ended last June.

## Was Only Catholic Member

Butler, who was the only Catholic on the court, ranked next to McReynolds as the tribunal's leading dissenter.

Surviving are Mrs. Butler and the following children: Pierce Butler, Jr., William Butler, Francis Butler, all of St. Paul; Leo Butler, and Miss Margaret Butler of Washington, and Mrs. Edward K. Dunn of Baltimore.

Born in a Minnesota log cabin, Butler practiced law at St. Paul until appointed to the court in 1922 by President Harding, a Republican.

Because he had been attorney for several railroads and many corporations, several midwestern progressives fought his confirmation by the Senate. They contended he would be a reactionary.

Physically he was a large man with piercing blue eyes, a round face and curling hair.

Not Active Recently

Butler had not participated in recent decisions of the court.

Mr. Roosevelt already has appointed Justices Hugo L. Black, Stanley Reed, Felix Frankfurter and William O. Douglas.

They succeeded Willis Van Devanter, George Sutherland, Benjamin N. Cardozo and Louis D. Brandeis. Justice Cardozo died; the others retired.

Van Devanter, whose retirement June 2, 1937, created the first

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## NEW POISON GAS READY FOR WAR

By HOWARD W. BLAKESLEE Associated Press Service Editor

New York, Nov. 16—Poison gas warfare has a new weapon ready for the battlefield.

It is the chemical tank, a squat, speedy, steel-skinned caterpillar, whose insides, instead of guns, are mostly poison liquids and gases.

This tank was described by Lt. Col. Augustin M. Prentiss, U. S. A., chemical warfare service, as one of the most formidable methods of attack yet devised. He is one of the great authorities on gas warfare.

"Chemical tanks have the power," he writes in the chemical warfare bulletin, "to suddenly release enormous concentrations of non-persistent lethal gas in such strength as to readily break through any military gas mask."

The non-persistent gases are those which float in the air, and poison the lungs. Their potency as weapons was reduced greatly by gas masks in the World War.

May Need New Type

But the chemical tanks may prove so effective, says Col. Prentiss, that an entirely new type of gas mask will be needed for protection. This mask would shut out all outside air and keep its wearer alive by breathing oxygen stored inside the mask.

European belligerents are sup-

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## State Calls Last Witness to Fix Manteno Charges

Kankakee, Ill., Nov. 16—(AP)—Prosecutor Samuel H. Shapiro today summoned his final witness before a special grand jury attempting to fix responsibility for a typhoid epidemic that cost 52 lives at Manteno state hospital.

The 32-year-old Kankakee county state's attorney said the testimony of Dr. R. Louis Steinberg, assistant managing officer of the hospital, would be all he needed to complete his portion of the secret inquiry.

Three employees told of sanitary conditions of the hospital kitchen while testifying yesterday, it was learned.

The epidemic was traced by state health department engineers to the water supply which they said, was polluted by sewage seepage. Department records showed health officers had repeatedly recommended chlorination of the water since 1931. The fever outbreak occurred last July and August.

Fred Brackenbush, secretary to Dr. Ralph T. Hinton before the latter's suspension as managing officer on Nov. 3, was said to have told the jurors he saw the reports of water contamination and that he continued to drink the water. He has been taking vaccine treatments as a typhoid suspect and was removed from an isolation section of the hospital to appear before the jury.

Owen Reilly, suspended hospital watchman, said he had been suspended for 30 days for "talking too much" although the charge against him was drinking.



THURSDAY, NOV. 16, 1939

(By The Associated Press)

For Chicago and Vicinity: Fair tonight and Friday, except some cloudiness; somewhat cooler Friday; lowest temperature tonight near 45 degrees; moderate westerly winds, possibly shifting to northerly by Friday. Outlook for Saturday: generally fair; seasonable temperature.

Illinois: Generally fair in extreme north, mostly cloudy in central and south tonight and Friday, probably with rain in south; slightly warmer tonight, except in extreme north and extreme south; cooler Friday in extreme north.

Iowa: Fair tonight and Friday, except unsettled in extreme southeast; somewhat cooler Friday in east-central.

## Terse News

LICENSED IN IOWA

Marriage licenses have been issued in New Hampton, Iowa, to George Palmer of Mt. Morris, Ill., and Helen Irene Hardesty of Oregon, Ill.; Thor Pedersen and Lorraine Krahenbuhl, both of Rochelle, Ill.

HURT BY CLOTHES WRINGER

Mrs. Mary Gelson, 608 Third street, was the victim of a painful accident Tuesday morning at her home. Her left hand became caught in the wringer of an electric washing machine and the hand was badly mangled and torn. She was removed to the Katherine Shaw Bethel hospital where the injury was dressed.

SERIOUSLY INJURED

Manager Harry H. Bates of the Dixon Home Telephone company has returned to Dixon from Joliet where his wife is in a serious condition at the Silver Cross hospital. Mrs. Bates suffered an accidental fall at her home in Joliet one week ago today in which her back and one arm were broken.

FULL MEMBERSHIP

Another Dixon grade school, the Loveland school, reported 100 percent membership record in the American Red Cross. All of the faculty members, including Miss Maurine Smith, part-time teacher, are enrolled and all of the students are listed with the Junior Red Cross. A special assembly program is being planned for Monday afternoon, in celebration of the accomplishment.

TRIP TO IOWA

Jerry Konroy of East St. Louis, a brick mason, faced Police Magistrate James E. Bales in police court this morning for the third time in less than two weeks to be arraigned on an intoxication charge. On his first arrest, he paid a fine and last Saturday morning, he went to jail in default of the second fine. This morning he agreed with the magistrate and with a fine of \$100 and costs suspended, left Dixon at noon for Iowa.

IN CIRCUIT COURT

Edward O. Holbrook of this city has filed an action in equity in the Lee county circuit court seeking injunctions against J. C. Griffith, George H. Covert and Glenn W. Schulteis. Temporary injunctions are sought against the three defendants to restrain the enforcement of a judgment in the circuit court. Permanent injunctions are sought against J. C. Griffith to restrain him from enforcing judgment and to enjoin George Covert from claiming any rights under a contract. The action involves a cottage in Assembly park which was formerly owned by J. C. Griffith.

LYONS VISITS HERE

Richard J. Lyons, Republican candidate for the nomination for governor of Illinois was a Dixon visitor today. He is making a swing around this district today and tomorrow, going from Dixon to Sterling and Morrison this afternoon after visiting Rochelle and Oregon. Tomorrow he will visit Mt. Carroll, Savanna, Sa-

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## Corset vs. Bard

Chicago, Nov. 16—(AP)—During an intermission in Evans' production of Hamlet, a full version running four hours, a woman patron was overheard moaning: "Oh, what a fool I was to break this corset in with Shakespeare."

## JUDGE URGES THE JURY TO REACH A VERDICT ON GMAC

South Bend, Ind., Nov. 16—(AP)—The Federal court jury in the General Motors Corporation antitrust trial asked Special Judge Walter C. Lindley for special instructions today after deliberating fifteen and a half hours.

The jury foreman asked the judge whether the defendants would be guilty of restraining trade and commerce if the evidence showed there was a conspiracy and coercion. The government alleged General Motors dealers were coerced into using the financing facilities of the General Motors Acceptance Corporation.

Judge Lindley explained to the jurors that they had to determine first whether there was a conspiracy and then whether that conspiracy was in restraint of trade.

The judge advised the jurors it was "very desirable that they reach a verdict," and that they should "be aware of the time," effort and money that a trial of this kind involves.

Asks Reconciliation

He urged that they reconcile any differences if possible.

The jury remained in the court room forty minutes and then retired to resume its deliberations.

Shortly after noon the jurors sent out for lunch and Judge Lindley recessed court until 1:30 P. M. (CST).

The jury retired at 6:35 o'clock last night to deliberate charges that the world's largest automobile manufacturer, along with three other firms and 17 officials in the huge General Motors family, violated the Sherman Act through a plot to monopolize financing.

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## Rites of Mrs. MacKinnon Will Be Held in Amboy

Funeral services for Mrs. Margaret MacKinnon, who died Wednesday afternoon at the home of her daughter, Mrs. H. W. Parker of 203 Fourteenth avenue, Sterling, will be conducted at 2 P. M. Friday at her former home in Amboy, and at 2:30 o'clock at the Amboy Methodist church. Burial will be made in Prairie Repose cemetery of Amboy.

Mrs. MacKinnon, widow of the late John C. MacKinnon, was born Oct. 30, 1874 at Dundas, Ont., a daughter of the late Thomas D. and Elizabeth Smith Harrison. Her husband, a former Amboy fireman, died Feb. 9, 1933, following a heart attack while helping fight a fire at the Hotel Keefe.

Survivors include five children: Charles MacKinnon of Detroit, Mich., Mrs. Emma Parker of Sterling, Russell MacKinnon of Evanston, Mrs. Clara Stegmann of Ft. Lauderdale, Fla., and Kirkby MacKinnon of Amboy. There are also six grandchildren, one sister, and two brothers.

## Former Louisiana Suicide Prexy Attempts Suicide

Baton Rouge, La., Nov. 16—(AP)—Sheriff Newman H. De Bretton announced that Dr. James Monroe Smith, former Louisiana State university president, attempted to commit suicide this morning in his jail cell by slashing his foot with a razor blade.

## Says Argentina's Friendship May Be Bought at Cost to U.S. Farmer

Peoria, Ill., Nov. 17—(AP)—Fred Brechnman, Washington legislative representative of the National Grange, told the organization's 73rd annual convention today "it looks as if we were going to buy Argentina's friendship at the cost of the American farmer."

Discussing the pending reciprocal trade treaty with Argentina, Brechnman contended there was no sound economic reason for reducing tariffs on products coming into the United States from the South American nation.

Brechnman, speaking to grange delegates representing more than 800,000 farm folk, declared a diplomatic or political motive lay behind the treaty.

"Argentina has been traditionally unfriendly to the attitude of this country that it is the guardian of the western hemisphere under the Monroe doctrine," he said. "In order to maintain the policy which makes us the protector of

## Road Work Is Given Thorough Trial in County

One of the most outstanding road improvements to be made in Lee county in recent years, is being given a thorough trial on the County Home road in South Dixon township, from the White Temple school south. The county road and bridge committee several weeks ago selected this strip of road for reconstruction by WPA workers, using the county's highway equipment.

In the spring of each year some sections of the road have not been travelable because of quick sand holes and practically the only improvement made has been the hauling of a light coat of pea gravel which was spread over the surface. Under the improvement program, the road is being materially widened in some sections, grades reduced for safety, with an ample amount of fill from the grading operations. When the roadway has been widened and the fills completed, crushed stone is being hauled and spread to form a solid foundation. Later, the committee plans to apply a surfacing material to the road.

"Waste of Money"

"To select a section of road and then use the WPA labor and the county equipment to improve that section, means a permanent road

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## HUNT EX-CONVICT WHO SHOT POLICE CHIEF LAST EVE

Harrisburg, Ill., Nov. 16—(AP)—A stern order to "take him dead or alive" went out today to 150 officers searching for an ex-convict named as the gunman who shot and seriously wounded State Highway Policeman Cecil Brokmyer last night.

Walter Williams, superintendent of the state police, who issued the order for a relentless, merciless hunt for the fugitive, was expected here to take personal command of the search by Illinois troopers, city and county officers.

Meanwhile, Brokmyer, about 45, of Shawneetown, remained in critical condition in a hospital here. A bullet penetrated his body below the heart and emerged from the back.

Police Chief Hal Bynum of Harrisburg said the state patrolman's assailant was Willard Shockley, 23, who has served sentences in Pontiac reformatory and southern Illinois state penitentiary at Menard.

He was identified from a picture by Cletus King, eye witness to the shooting, and attendant at the garage where the gun battle took place. Shockley has been sought for more than a week for alleged armed robbery at his home in Wood River, Ill.

Search centered around Carriers Mills, where Shockley escaped on foot after shooting Brokmyer with a .25 caliber revolver. The youth had stopped at the garage to have the governor on his car removed.

The car, Bynum said, had been stolen Saturday night from Frank Vasulka, a driver for a Centralia taxicab company. Vasulka was forced at the point of a gun to drive a passenger nine miles south of Ashley, where the driver was bound and evicted. The license plates of the automobile were stolen Monday night from the car of E. Davis of Rosiclare.

Brokmyer approached Shockley to question him concerning a filling station robbery here early last night. The youth drew a gun and shot the patrolman, the bullet entering his body below the heart.

The officer fell, but fired after Shockley as he fled into an alley. Fred Holper, another trooper, held his fire for fear of hitting several persons in the garage.

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## MODERN "ROMEO" TO SEE "JULIET"

New York, Nov. 16—(AP)—Dashing George Lowther, III, 30-year-old broker "Romeo," has won the right to see his pretty "Juliet," or even marry her if she wants him—and she says she does.

Love triumphed over parental barriers yesterday in Manhattan's unromantic state supreme court, where Lowther had petitioned for a writ of habeas corpus, alleging Mr. and Mrs. Walter R. Herrick had kept their daughter Eileen, 20, a "prisoner" to prevent her marriage to him.

Justice Isidor Wasservogel, after questioning everyone concerned, told the parents, "she is past the age of consent. If she wants to marry this man, she has the right to do so. She ought to listen to her parents' advice, however, but she has civil rights, too, and if she makes a mistake, it's her mistake and her life."

The justice decided that Lowther must not attempt to see Eileen for the next ten days while she remains in a nervous condition. After that, said the judge in dismissing Lowther's petition, the two may see each other as often as they like.

## 'SCARFACE AL' IS FREE TODAY; WAS IN PRISON 7 YEARS

### Ailing Capone, Chicago's Prohibition Gangster, Guarded on Release

Baltimore, Nov. 16—(AP)—Al Capone entered Union Memorial hospital today for observation and treatment.

His physician, Dr. Joseph E. Moore, declined to discuss the case but hospital officials said Capone was admitted under his own name.

He arrived at the institution shortly after noon, accompanied by several men understood to be relatives. Hospital officials said they believed he had been driven here from the federal penitentiary at Lewisburg, Pa., from which he was released this morning.

Washington, Nov. 16—(AP)—Al Capone, Chicago's fabulous gang overlord in the lush days of prohibition, went free today after seven years in prison—but what that freedom meant to him other than removal of the handcuffs and an end to barred cells federal prison authorities refused to disclose.

The ailing "Scarface" was given his unconditional release at Lewisburg, Pa., penitentiary in the early hours of the day, according to Director James V. Bennett of the federal prison bureau. But then he disappeared—still in company of federal officers—as effectively as if he had been put once again behind the grim walls of Alcatraz.

Director Gives Account

Hours after the release was effected, Bennett gave this account: Capone, who had been held in Terminal Island prison, California, for 10 months after having been removed from Alcatraz because of ill-health—he was reported suffering from paresis, a brain disease—arrived at Lewisburg, Pa., early today.

There he was given his "unconditional" release. He was not met by relatives, although there were indications he was to be met soon afterward by his brother, Ralph Capone. He was given a suit of clothes but not the \$10 cash ordinarily handed to federal convicts upon discharge.

He had been taken into the prison through the main entrance but when he left it was, probably, by another gate—and still in the company of federal officers. For Warden Henry C. Hill, Dr. George Hess, chief medical officer at Terminal Island, and another official went with him.

Was Not Handcuffed

The former gangster, who had served time for income tax law violations, was not handcuffed. He was guarded for his own protection, although Bennett said that he had not requested the escort.

Bennett said that there would be some watch of Capone's condition, but declined to say how long he would be given this attention. Bennett said he probably would make that public next week.

The director declined to say what his condition was. Earlier Bennett had announced the release. He said:

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Bright Heritage.  
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Mystery of the Missing Car.  
Penny Marsh: Supervisor.  
The Border Girl.  
Fair Play.  
Hickory Sam.  
Fuller at Harvard.  
Shining Mountains.  
The Duke Decides.

**Thanksgiving Festival**  
The Bain building is being completely redecorated in readiness for the Thanksgiving festival which will be held for four evenings, Nov. 22, 23, 24 and 25. The carnival will open at 7:30 each evening.  
In addition, on Friday night, the Moose lodge will hold a dance in the Bain building, and on Saturday night, the American Legion will have a dance there.  
The general committee members in charge are: Fred Warnings, Paul Henry, Leo Ripp, Eugene Connolly, Frank Delmont, Eugene Bain, and Roland Carter. They are being assisted by other committees.

**Under Observation**  
The Rochelle elementary school is following its usual high health standards, checking the health of the children once or twice each day, and sending any child who appears ill to Miss Swan, health instructor. If it is found that the child is suffering from sore throat, fever, or other evidence of illness, the child is sent home for observation.  
A few children are under observation in their own homes, but at present, only Dale King, fifth grade, Central school, and Jackie Sutton, third grade, Central school, are ill with scarlet fever. Both have "light" cases.

**Learn of Death**  
Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Maginnis and Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Maginnis received word Tuesday morning of the death of Mrs. F. N. Maginnis of Aurora, sister-in-law and aunt of the local residents. They attended the funeral services Thursday at Aurora. Mrs. Maginnis is survived by Dr. Maginnis, her husband, and a daughter, Mrs. Howard Emory.

**Left For Pennsylvania**  
Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Van Artsdale left Tuesday morning for a visit with Mrs. Van Artsdale's brother, R. M. Smith and family, of Harrisburg, Pa.

**Death Recorded**  
Frank Traver, 27, of Decatur, passed away Saturday, Nov. 11, following a month's illness with pneumonia. Miss Zoe Traver, high school instructor, who had been with her family for two weeks, had returned to Rochelle, and was recalled on the third day of her return. Funeral services were held Monday at Decatur. Besides Miss Traver, the survivors include Mrs. Frank Traver, his wife, a son, Frank Jr., and a daughter, Mrs. Harold Rogers of Kent, Ohio.

**Small Fire**  
Monday morning the fire department was called to the home of Al Musselman, South Main street, where a clothes closet had caught fire. It did some damage before being extinguished.

**Licenses Issued**  
The city clerk, R. L. Heydacker, has already issued 400 hunting licenses, and the supply of 25 trapping licenses is already exhausted. An additional supply arrive soon. Earlier, 350 to 400 fishing licenses had been issued.

**Entertained Club**  
Mrs. John Russell entertained her club Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. A. H. Maginnis was a special guest.

**Boy Scout News**  
Twenty-three men worked on the subscription agreement for Boy Scouts. They were headed by John Manning as general chairman, assisted by D. W. Critchfield. The various workers under the direction of Majors Stephen W. Dee and Steven Helfer were Phil W. May, Karl Hackett, W. W. Wheeler, Chief of Police J. N. Jacobson, W. R. Hurlbut, Robert Varner, John D. Turkington, Thomas L. Burke, Thomas F. O'Neill, Frank Carney, A. H. Maginnis, E. F. Winebrenner, Leo J. Ripp, Calvin Neve, C. T. Nelson, William Townsend, E. P. Stover, L. J. Riggs and Harry In-

gleason. William Hayes acted as auditor under the direction of A. A. Stocker and Ed Rowley. Scout field executives of the Blackhawk Area Council, Thursday evening, Nov. 16, the scouts of the Ogle district will meet to elect the Ogle district officers for next year and also the members of the executive board. On Tuesday, Nov. 21, the scouts of Rochelle will meet with Mr. Rowley to discuss the program for 1940.

**Red Cross Report**  
Though complete returns of the Red Cross drive are to date impossible, Mrs. Robert Brundage, in charge of the drive, has reported over \$500 in receipts. The response has been splendid on the part of the workers as well as the donors.

**Garden Club**  
On Friday, Nov. 17, the Garden club will answer roll call with a Thanksgiving thought. Mrs. Dexter Stocking will take "Gourds and Gourds" Plants" made more interesting by a gourd display. Mrs. Adam Krug will review chapter 5 of "Old and New Plant Lore."

The club will meet with Mrs. Robert Brundage, 604 Seventh street.

**Cookie-Doughnut Sale**  
The Legion Auxiliary will hold a home-made cookie and doughnut sale at Vickie's hardware store on Saturday morning, Nov. 18. Anyone desiring to place an order for either cookies or doughnuts, may do so by calling Mrs. Baker, phone 574.

**Arts Club Meeting**  
Mrs. Vincent Carney addressed the Arts club Monday afternoon, about her trips to Mexico. It proved very interesting to the group.

**Friendly Society Meeting**  
The Friendly society will meet with Mrs. William Eckert, 510 Seventh street, Monday afternoon, Nov. 20.

**Mikado Presented**  
"The Mikado" will be presented at 8 o'clock Friday night at the high school auditorium, by the Rochelle Township high school mixed chorus. "The Mikado" is a Gilbert and Sullivan operetta, directed by William Gieske. Tickets are on sale by the chorus members.

**Thanksgiving in Oklahoma**  
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brundage will leave Saturday, Ardmore, Okla., to visit for a few weeks during the Thanksgiving holidays, with Mrs. Cobern King and family. Mrs. King is the daughter of Mr. Brundage.

**On Vacation**  
Ray Hurlbut is on vacation from his duties at the Western Union telegraph office. During his absence, Milton Clifford is on duty. Ernest Sward has accepted the position as messenger boy, and began his duties there this week.

### West Brooklyn

**Bowling News**

Standing of teams:	W	L
Bankers	8	1
Barbers	7	2
Royal Blue	6	3
Toots Tavern	5	4
Schultz	5	4
Violet Tigers	5	4
House of David	5	4
Internationals	3	6
Lee Center Cubs	3	6
Viola Rams	3	6
Blue Ribbon	3	6
All-Stars	1	8

Schedule Nov. 20 to Nov. 24:  
Nov. 20, 7:00, Blue Ribbon vs. Viola Rams; 9:00, Toots Tavern vs. House of David; Nov. 21, 7:00, Schultz vs. All Stars; Nov. 22, 7:00, Royal Blue vs. Lee Center Cubs; Nov. 23, 7:00, Violet Tigers vs. Barbers; Nov. 24, 7:00, Bankers vs. Internationals.

**Card Party**  
Guests for 21 tables of cards gathered at the school hall on Sunday evening. In 500 the prize winners were Mrs. Francis Gallisath, Mrs. Helen Montavon, J. H. Michaels, Ray Burkhardt, in euchre. Mrs. Darlene Bauer, Mrs. Anna Derr, Wilbur Bauer, John Gallisath, Cletus Jeanblanc was awarded the door prize. Ladies sponsored the party were Mrs. Arthur Montavon, Mrs. Tony Hahnmaier, Mrs. George Vincent and Mrs. Ray Sheridan. There will be another party this Sunday evening with Mrs. William Untz, Mrs. George Hahn, Mrs. Frank Bresson and Mrs. Julius Engelbrecht serving on the committee.

**Club Meets**  
Mrs. E. C. White and Miss Marge Rowe were co-hostesses to the ladies of the Domestic Science club at the home of the former last Wednesday evening. A large number of members answered the roll call. The usual business meeting was held after which the remainder of the evening was spent in a social good time. Lovely refreshments were served. Mrs. Ruth Vickrey will entertain this club at her home on Monday evening, Nov. 20.

**Baby Baptized**  
Donna Mae, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Chaon was baptized at St. Mary's Catholic church on Sunday morning with the pastor, Rev. R. A. Horner officiating. The sponsors were Mr. and Mrs. Ermin Dinges.

**Bazaar Dates**  
The annual bazaar held for the benefit of St. Mary's Catholic church will be held on the evenings of Nov. 29, 30th and Dec. 2. There will be dancing each evening to good music, bingo and various other attractions.

**Club Meets**  
Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Nelles were hosts to their 500 card club at their home on Friday evening. After a happy evening of cards, prizes were awarded to Mrs. George Bresson, Mrs. Walter Elch and Mrs. Wilbur Bauer. William Aughenbaugh and Walter Elch. Extra prizes were won by Mrs. Laura Nelles and Wilbur Bauer. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Doty were out of town guests. A dainty luncheon was served. Mrs. William Aughenbaugh of companion will be hostess to the club when they resume play in two weeks.

**Silver Walker Club**  
Miss Hazel Walker delightfully entertained the members of the Silver Thimble club at her home on Thursday afternoon. The diversion of the afternoon was pumpkin cookie prizes being won by Mrs. Ruth Vickrey and Mrs. Marge Fassig. Lovely refresh-

ments were served by Miss Walker.

**Club Entertained**  
Mrs. Fred Brown entertained the members of the Happy Housewives club at her home on Thursday afternoon. After the usual eight games of 500 the prize winners were Miss Sylvia Clopine and Mrs. Bernie Mackin. Dainty refreshments were served by Mrs. Brown. Mrs. Alex Gehant will entertain this club in two weeks.

**Firemen's Meeting**  
Members of the West Brooklyn fire company held their regular monthly meeting on Monday night at the fire station. Herbert Danekas presided at the meeting owing to the absence of the fire chief. Committees were appointed to complete work on the recreation room at the fire station.

**C. O. F. Installation**  
A large crowd was in attendance on Thursday evening at the meeting of St. Mary's court of Foresters. Chief Ranger Oliver L. Gehant was in charge of the meeting. After the installation of officers, refreshments were served.

**Town Topics**  
Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Derr of Shabbona visited at the A. L. Derr and I. F. Knauer homes on Sunday. They were supper guests at the Levi Mehlbreich home.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. Gehant, daughters Dorothy and Joyce of this place and Henry W. Gehant Jr. of Aurora spent Saturday and Sunday in St. Louis, where they visited with their son Francis, student nurse at Alexian Brothers hospital in that city.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bernardin, son Lawrence of Sterling, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bernardin, Saturday.

H. H. Danekas, Fay Danekas, Mrs. Herbert Miller, daughter Betty Ann and Miss Esther Doan were Aurora shoppers on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Halbmaier, daughter Mary Jo of this place, and Leo Butler of Sublette drove to Waterloo, Ia., over the week end where they visited with relatives.

Robert Preston of Mendota spent Sunday with his friend Stanley Danekas.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Gehant, Fay and Alice, visited with Thomas Morrissey, who is a patient at the Katherine Shaw Beebe hospital in Dixon, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fisch of Beloit, Wis., and Mrs. Bessie Coon, Beaver Dam, Wis., spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Montavon.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McCaffery and children of Walton were Sunday visitors at the Matthew Maier home.

Mrs. Sherman Holdren has been quite ill at her home for the past several days.

Mrs. Mary Sherman, Joseph Bauer, Mrs. Henry Bernardin and Mrs. Joseph Meier were Dixon visitors on Monday afternoon.

G. L. Nelles spent a few days at Rock Island at the S. S. Seaman home.

Mrs. Norbert Ruhland of Ottawa visited at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Blaschke on Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Weber and Frank Knauer of Aurora visited at the Irvin Knauer home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Koch and children, Mr. and Mrs. George Montavon Jr. and family of Indiana Harbor, visited at the Peter Montavon home on Sunday.

Mrs. Charles Elliott and Joan of Amboy, Mrs. Gilbert Foster and son of Phoenix, Ariz., visited at the Irvin Knauer home, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hoerner, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Montavon and children, Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Hoerner were dinner guests Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tony Hahnmaier of Ottawa. Robert Horton was also a guest at the Auguststetter home.

Misses Lolita and Zella Koehler visited with their aunt, Mrs. Carrie Oester at the Fred Leake home in Amboy.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Glaser and son of Lee visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gillette on Monday evening.

Cheer leaders for the basketball season were named at the high school on Monday afternoon. Those chosen were Alice Gehant, Betty Jane Jones, Oneida Irvin and Fay Danekas. The first game of the year will be on Tuesday evening, Nov. 21, when West Brooklyn meets Compton at the Compton high school gym.

Miss Lucetta Sperlich of Mendota visited at the Adolf Metzger home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Oester, son Dean, spent Sunday visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Chaon.

Ewald Metzger, Miss Margaret Schmuckel, Miss Mary Alice Shaw, students at Northern State Teachers' college, spent Saturday and Sunday at their homes.

Mrs. George Hahn, daughter Rita Mae, were Mendota visitors on Wednesday.

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**18c**  
**Sale! Men's 15c Fancy Sox**  
Save double and get more wear, too! Rayon mixtures—cotton tops, toes, heels! Regular, short.  
**11c**  
**Sale! 1.49 Novelty Blanket**  
Save 22c! Handsome Indian design in suede finish, sturdy cotton. Wonderfully warm! 70x80 in. ....  
**1.27**  
**Sale! Unbleached Muslin**  
9c Value! Fine 80-square quality that wears and wears and grows whiter as washed. Save now! 36".  
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**53c**  
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## STUDY TESTIMONY THAT WORKERS IN INSTITUTIONS PAY FOR JOBS

Commission Told That Civil Service and Other Employees Pay Out Two Per Cent of Salaries

Springfield, Ill., Nov. 16.—(AP)—Testimony that Civil Service and other employees of state institutions are paying two per cent of their salaries to a jobholders' political association known as the Illinoisans was studied today by the Illinois Civil Service commission.

Three witnesses testified in a commission hearing yesterday that they helped collect the employees' contributions at the hospitals and prisons. Chairman W. Emery Lancaster said the commission would make an early ruling on the question at issue—whether Civil Service employees were "forced" into making political campaign donations.

One outgrowth of the eight-hour hearing was a commission order directing the civil service protective association—the organization which filed the "coercion" complaints—to submit a statement of its own finances.

**Collection Procedure**

Harold A. Stone and R. F. Mose of Springfield, agents of the Illinoisans, gave much of the testimony concerning the collection procedure. Both asserted employees paid "voluntarily" and that they did not know for what purposes the money was being used.

Stone and Mose said they had letters of introduction from Director A. L. Bowen of the state welfare department, addressed to managing officers of the institutions they visited. The officers notified employees of the Illinoisans' representative's presence, they said. Employees then would come in to sign pledge cards or to make payments on previous pledges. Both witnesses said the payments were two per cent of the employees' salaries and that all employees—including those in civil service—received cards.

Michael F. Ryan, Chicago, counsel for the protective association, questioned all witnesses in an unsuccessful effort to identify the officers of the Illinoisans. All said they didn't know.

**Hired By Walsh**

Under Ryan's cross-examination, Mose said his \$150 monthly salary checks were signed by Director F. Lynden Smith of the public works and buildings department and William F. Walsh, head of the state administration's employment office. Mose and Stone both said they were hired by Walsh.

Harry Klingbiel, an audit clerk at the East Moline state hospital, said he also received employees' payments up to last June 30 and forwarded them to the Illinoisans in care of a Springfield hotel where Democratic state headquarters are located.

"All but two or three of the 500 employees at East Moline signed the pledge cards," Klingbiel said.

"What was the money for?" asked Attorney Ryan.

"For the betterment of the administration, I suppose," Klingbiel replied.

Dr. Walton Tackett, staff physician at East Moline, said he contributed two per cent and that it "was the general understanding it was for campaign purposes."

**Visited at Dixon**

Institutions Mose said he had visited were the Jacksonville, Anna, and Lincoln hospitals, the Normal children's home, and the Menard, Pontiac and Dwight prisons. Stone named the East Moline, Elgin and Dixon hospitals and the Geneva training school.

Dr. Joseph A. Campbell, managing officer of East Moline, testified he caused employees to be notified when Stone appeared there but that he didn't know Stone was collecting money at the hospital. Asked if he was a member of the Illinoisans he replied firmly:

"I am not."

Chairman Lancaster, who engaged in several verbal exchanges with Ryan, asked for the protective association's financial statement after Clayton F. Devine, association president, testified it had over 4,000 members paying \$12 each in yearly dues. Ryan then said he "assumed" the commission would request a similar statement from the Illinoisans.

**May Request Statement**

Lancaster said this would be done "if it appears essential."

He informed the hearing that the commission believed "many state officers and employees do not understand that the Civil Service law prohibits solicitation of civil service employees, although they can contribute voluntarily to a political campaign the same as anyone else."

He pointed out also it is contrary to the Civil Service act to receive political contributions from civil service employees in public buildings.

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## McAdoo's Stand for FDR Clears Part of Program

(By The Associated Press)

Washington, Nov. 16.—The declaration of William Gibbs McAdoo for a third term for President Roosevelt helps to light up one side of the California program for the coming campaign; it leaves the other in total darkness.

In 1932, the last time the Democrats had a tussle for the presidential nomination, the California delegation came to Chicago voting for John Nance Garner. McAdoo was its cheerleader.

It was he who sent a cold shudder down Al Smith's spine and crushed his hope of stopping Roosevelt, by climbing to the convention platform and switching California's votes to Roosevelt.

Garner got the vice presidency. McAdoo attached himself to the Roosevelt campaign train in California and was a conspicuous introducer of the presidential candidate all the way down the state. When Roosevelt was not available to speak, McAdoo would say a few words in behalf of his own candidacy for the senate. He was elected.

Last summer when things began to look tough for McAdoo's reelection campaign, Roosevelt went to California and gave him a pat on the back. The president virtually said he did not believe there was a pot of gold at the foot of the pension rabbit.

**On Pension Votes**

Enough Californians thought that was to erase McAdoo's name from the Democratic ticket and write that of Sheridan Downey in its place. Downey came to the senate in a high tide of pension votes.

Since then, he often has been found voting against presidential measures. His opposition, though frequently springing from a different source of reasoning from that of Vice President Garner, often caused him to vote in exactly the same way Garner might have been expected to vote.

Downey has not forgotten that Roosevelt came into the primary to help McAdoo. Moreover, for years he has been attending Townsend meetings at which something less than idolatry of Roosevelt is regularly preached. Now Downey's old opponent of the primary—whom he defeated—is urging a third term for the man for whom, to put it mildly, his feelings are lukewarm.

The Garner managers are saying little about California now. Nor is Downey saying much about his thoughts on the subject. But the Democratic party is made up of a host of men with conflicting views. Stranger things have happened in it than for Downey to wind up under the same sheet with Jack Garner.

## Chester Thompson Made President of Waterways Corporation Yesterday

(By The Associated Press)

Washington, Nov. 16.—Chester Thompson, Rock Island Ill., yesterday became president of the government-owned inland Waterways Corporation. He succeeded Major General T. Q. Ashburn, who resigned to re-enter private life.

Thompson, an active proponent of mid-western waterway development for several years, was appointed by the commerce department, which took over supervision of the inland waterways from the war department under President Roosevelt's reorganization program last July.

The department also created the new position of vice president of the corporation and appointed John S. Powell to the job. Powell formerly was comptroller of the corporation and its subsidiary, the Warrior River Terminal Co.

Thompson, a former mayor of Rock Island and congressman from Illinois, became, by the change, head of the government-owned barge lines on the Mississippi river.

Former Congressman Thompson made his headquarters in Dixon for an entire summer when the first buildings were constructed at the Dixon state hospital. His father with whom he was associated as a plastering contractor from Rock Island, was awarded the contract for the plastering of the first buildings at the institution.

Ancient Egyptians possessed such musical instruments as the harp, guitar, pipe, trumpet, and drum, according to archeological findings.

## How To Relieve Bronchitis

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## Roosevelt Lays Cornerstone for \$3,000,000 Shrine to Jefferson

(By The Associated Press)

Washington, Nov. 16.—President Roosevelt laid the cornerstone yesterday for a \$3,000,000 marble shrine to Thomas Jefferson and asserted in a brief address that the people of the United States today "are more than ever satisfied with the republican form of government."

The president stood beside the memorial rising to honor the author of the Declaration of Independence to declare the cornerstone was being laid in recognition of the "ever present vitality" of Jefferson's type of Americanism.

"He lived as we live," Roosevelt asserted, "in the midst of a struggle between rule by the self-chosen individual or the self-appointed few, and rule by the franchise and approval of the many. He believed as we do that the average opinion of mankind is in the long run superior to the dictates of the self-chosen."

"During all the years that have followed Thomas Jefferson the United States has expanded his philosophy into a greater achievement of security of the nation, security of the individual and national unity, than in any other part of the world."

**Conflict May Continue**

It may be, Roosevelt went on,

## Judicial Who's Who Suggested as New Justice

Washington, Nov. 16.—(AP)—A list of names which might serve as a "who's who" of the judicial world was put forward today in speculation over a Supreme court successor to Justice Pierce Butler.

High on the roster were such administration stalwarts as Solicitor General Robert H. Jackson of New York, who has argued many New Deal cases before the high tribunal; Attorney General Frank Murphy of Michigan, and Senator Wagner (D-N.Y.).

Those who believed the appointment should go to the west, mentioned among others Thurman Arnold of Wyoming, assistant attorney general in charge of the anti-trust division; Senator Lewis B. Schwellenbach of Washington, and Judge Harold Stephens of Utah, a member of the United States Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia.

Advocates of the nomination of a woman advanced the name of Florence E. Allen of Cleveland, a member of the sixth Federal Circuit Court of Appeals.

**May Be "Outsider"**

It also was suggested in some circles that it was entirely possible to name to the court one who is not a lawyer. There is no constitutional requirement that a Supreme Court justice be a member of the legal profession. All thus far have been lawyers.

Others mentioned in unofficial speculation for the post included: Federal Circuit Judge William Denman of San Francisco, Federal Circuit Judge Sam G. Bratton of Albuquerque, N. M., former Democratic Senator.

Justin Miller of California, a member of the United States Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia.

Donald R. Richberg, former administrator of the National Industrial Recovery Act.

Senator Milton (D-Ind.) Samuel Rosenman and Ferdinand Pecora, judges of the New York Supreme Court.

Robert M. Hutchins, president of the University of Chicago. James M. Landis, Dean of Harvard law school and former chairman of the securities commission. Lloyd K. Garrison, dean of the University of Wisconsin law school.

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## Evils of Business Are Presented at AAA Meet

Washington, Nov. 16.—(AP)—A charge that "evils amounting to scandal exist in the financing of automobiles and automobile accessories" was presented today to the American Automobile Association, opening its 37th annual convention.

"While practically every other agency dealing in money—small loan companies, banks, insurance companies, stock brokers and others—is subject to careful regulation, the business of financing automobiles is practically unregulated except in a few states," the committee on automobile financing reported.

It recommended further study of financing methods with a view to obtaining corrective legislation.

Most abuses, said the report, read by Chairman A. G. Newcomb of Cleveland, are attributable to the type of contract signed by the purchaser, and the "more reprehensible" practices are confined to a "gyp fringe."

The committee said that financing contracts "are one-sided legal instruments which give full protection to the seller and practically none to the buyer."

Among the practices alleged were "padding" of additional finance charges, repossession of cars without notice, transferring or "kiting" contracts without notice, attaching unexpectedly high "balloon notes" to contract, fictitious sales of repossessed cars and insurance misrepresentations.

Rats once destroyed a whole town in Tanganyika, Africa, after first ruining the cotton crop. They invaded the town in such numbers that the inhabitants were forced to evacuate.

The Dixon Telegraph, established in 1851.

## DO YOU LACK PEP?

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Since the end of the World War, England has re-housed 15,000,000 people, or approximately one-third of its population.

**COACH WANTED**  
Morgantown, W. Va.—Sleepy Glenn will quit as football coach at West Virginia at the end of this year to take up the practice of medicine.

**FOX IN FLORIDA**  
St. Petersburg, Fla.—Jimmy Fox, Red Sox first baseman, has an interest in the operation of a St. Petersburg hotel and country club.

**SCENE CHANGES**  
Athens, Ga.—Georgia senior football players have played under three varsity coaches—Harry Mehre in 1937, Joel Hunt in 1938 and now Wally Butts.

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Thanksgiving Festival  
The Bain building is being completely redecorated in readiness for the Thanksgiving festival which will be held for four evenings, Nov. 22, 23, 24 and 25. The carnival will open at 7:30 each evening.

In addition, on Friday night, the Moose lodge will hold a dance in the Bain building, and on Saturday night, the American Legion will have a dance there.

The general committee members in charge are: Fred Warming, Paul Henry, Leo Ripp, F. J. Connolly, Frank Delmont, Eugene Bain, and Roland Caron. They are being assisted by other committees.

**Under Observation**  
The Rochelle elementary school is following its usual high health standards, checking the health of the children once or twice each day, and sending any child who appears ill to Miss Swan, health instructor. If it is found that the child is suffering from some throat fever, or other evidence of illness, the child is sent home for observation.

A few children are under observation in their own homes, but at present, only Dale King, fifth grade, Central school, and Jackie Lee, third grade, Central school, are ill with scarlet fever. Both have "light" cases.

**Learn of Death**  
Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Maginnis and Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Maginnis received word Tuesday morning of the death of Mrs. F. N. Maginnis of Aurora, sister-in-law and aunt of the local residents. They will attend the funeral services Thursday at Aurora. Mrs. Maginnis' husband, and a daughter, Mrs. Howard Emory.

**Left For Pennsylvania**  
Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Van Artsdale left Tuesday morning for a visit with Mrs. Van Artsdale's brother, R. M. Smith and family, of Harrisburg, Pa.

**Death Recorded**  
Frank Traver, 2, of Decatur, passed away Saturday, Nov. 11, following a month's illness with pneumonia. Miss Zoe Traver, high school instructor, who had been with her family for two weeks, had returned to Rochelle, and was recalled on the third day of her return. Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at the Moran chapel at Decatur. Besides Miss Traver, the survivors include Mrs. Frank Traver, his wife, a son, Frank Jr., and a daughter, Mrs. Harold Rogers of Kent, Ohio.

**Small Fire**  
Monday morning the fire department was called to the home of Al Musselman, South Main street, where a clothes closet had caught fire. It did some damage before being extinguished.

**Licenses Issued**  
The city clerk, R. L. Heydacker, has already issued 400 hunting licenses, and the supply of 25 trapping licenses is already exhausted. An additional supply will arrive soon. Earlier, 550 to 400 fishing licenses had been issued.

**Entertained Club**  
Mrs. John Russell entertained her club Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. A. H. Maginnis was a special guest.

**Boy Scout News**  
Twenty-three men worked on the subscription agreement for Boy Scouts. They were headed by John Manning as general chairman, assisted by D. W. Critchfield. The various workers under the direction of Majors Stephen W. Dee and Steven Helfer were Phil W. May, Karl Hackett, W. W. Wheeler, Chief of Police J. N. Jacobson, W. R. Hurlbut, Robert Varney, John D. Turkington, Thomas L. Burke, Thomas F. O'Neill, Frank Carney, A. H. Maginnis, E. F. Winebrenner, Leo J. Ripp, Calvin Neve, C. T. Nelson, William Townsend, E. P. Stever, L. J. Riggs and Harry In-

glison. William Hayes acted as auditor under the direction of A. A. Stocker and Ed Rowley. Scout field executives of the Blackhawk Area Council.

**Red Cross Report**  
Though complete returns of the Red Cross drive are to date impossible, Mr. Robert Brundage, in charge of the drive, has reported over \$500 in receipts. The response has been splendid on the part of the workers as well as the donors.

**Garden Club**  
On Friday, Nov. 17, the Garden club will answer roll call with a Thanksgiving thought. Mrs. Dexter Stocking will talk on "Gourds and Gourdlake Plants," made more interesting by a gourd display. Mrs. Adam Krug will review chapter 5 of "Old and New Plant Lore."

The club will meet with Mrs. Robert Brundage, 604 Seventh street.

**Cookie-Doughnut Sale**  
The Legion Auxiliary will hold a home-made cookie and doughnut sale at Vierke's hardware store on Saturday morning, Nov. 18. Anyone desiring to place an order for either cookies or doughnuts, may do so by calling Mrs. Raker, phone 574.

**Arts Club Meeting**  
Mrs. Vincent Carney addressed the Arts club Monday afternoon, about her trips to Mexico. It proved very interesting to the group.

**Friendly Society Meeting**  
The Friendly society will meet with Mrs. William Eckert, 510 Seventh street, Monday afternoon, Nov. 20.

**Mikado Presented**  
"The Mikado" will be presented at 8 o'clock Friday night at the high school auditorium, by the Rochelle Township high school mixed chorus. "The Mikado" is a Gilbert and Sullivan opera, directed by William Gieske. Tickets are on sale by the chorus members.

**Thanksgiving in Oklahoma**  
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brundage will leave Saturday for Ardmore, Okla., to visit for a few weeks during the Thanksgiving holidays, with Mrs. Coburn King and family. Mrs. King is the daughter of Mr. Brundage.

**On Vacation**  
Ray Hurlbut is on vacation from his duties at the Western Union telegraph office. During his absence, Milton Clifford is on duty. Ernest Sward has accepted the position as messenger boy, and began his duties there this week.

## West Brooklyn

**Bowling News**  
Standing of teams: W L  
Bankers ..... 2 1  
Barbers ..... 2 1  
Roy Blue ..... 6 3  
Toots Tavern ..... 5 4  
Schultz ..... 5 4  
Viola Tigers ..... 5 4  
House of David ..... 3 6  
Internationals ..... 3 6  
Lee Center Cubs ..... 3 6  
Viola Rams ..... 3 6  
Blue Ribbon ..... 3 6  
All-Star ..... 1 8

Schedule Nov. 20 to Nov. 24:  
Nov. 20, 7:00, Blue Ribbon vs. Viola Rams, 9:00, Toots Tavern vs. House of David.  
Nov. 21, 7:00, Schultz vs. All Stars.  
Nov. 22, 7:00, Royal Blue vs. Lee Center Cubs.  
Nov. 23, 7:00, Viola Tigers vs. Barbers.  
Nov. 24, 7:00, Bankers vs. Internationals.

**Card Party**  
Guests for a table of cards gathered at the school hall on Sunday evening. In 500 the prize winners were Mrs. Frances Galisath, Mrs. Helen Montavon, J. H. Michel, Ray Burkhardt, in euchre, Mrs. Darlene Bauer, John Gall-derr, Wilbur Bauer, Mrs. Anna Clutus Jeanblanc was awarded the door prize. Ladies sponsoring the party were Mrs. Arthur Montavon, Mrs. Tony Halbmaler, Mrs. George Vincent and Mrs. Ray Sheridan. There will be another party this Sunday evening with Mrs. William Untz, Mrs. George Hahn, Mrs. Frank Bresson and Mrs. Julius Engelbrecht serving on the committee.

**Club Meets**  
Mrs. E. C. White and Miss Marge Rowe were co-hostesses to the ladies of the Domestic Science club at the home of the former last Wednesday evening. A large number of members attended the roll call. The usual business meeting was held after which the remainder of the evening was spent in a social good time. Lovely refreshments were served. Mrs. Ruth Vickrey will entertain this club at her home on Monday evening, Nov. 20.

**Baby Baptized**  
Donna Mae, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Chacon, was baptized at St. Mary's Catholic church on Sunday morning with the pastor, Rev. R. A. Horner, officiating. The sponsors were Mr. and Mrs. Ermin Dinkes.

**Bazaar Dates**  
The annual bazaar held for the benefit of St. Mary's Catholic church will be held on the evenings of Nov. 29, 30th and Dec. 2. There will be dancing each evening to good music, bingo and various other attractions.

**Club Meets**  
Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Nelles were hosts to their 500 card club at their home on Friday evening. After a happy evening of cards, prizes were awarded to Mrs. George Bresson, Mrs. Walter Eich and Mrs. Wilbur Bauer. William Aughenbaugh and Walter Eich, Extra prizes were won by Mrs. Laura Nelles and Wilbur Bauer. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Doty were out of town guests. A dainty luncheon was served. Mrs. William Aughenbaugh of Compton will be hostess to the club when they resume play in two weeks.

**Silver Thimble Club**  
Miss Hazel Walker delightfully entertained the members of the Silver Thimble club at her home on Thursday afternoon. The diversion of the afternoon was pumpkin cottie prizes being won by Mrs. Ruth Vickrey and Mrs. Marge Fassig. Lovely refresh-

ments were served by Miss Walker.

**Club Entertained**  
Mrs. Fred Brown entertained the members of the Happy Housewives club at her home on Thursday afternoon. After the usual eight games of 500 the prize winners were Miss Sylvia Clopine and Mrs. Bernice Mackin. Dainty refreshments were served by Mrs. Brown. Mrs. Alex Gehant will entertain this club in two weeks.

**Firemen's Meeting**  
Members of the West Brooklyn fire company held their regular monthly meeting on Monday night at the fire station. Herbert Daneakas presided at the meeting owing to the absence of the fire chief. Committees were appointed to complete work on the recreation room at the fire station.

**C. O. F. Installation**  
A large crowd was in attendance on Thursday evening at the meeting of St. Mary's chapter of Royal Arch Chapter, Oliver L. Gehant was in charge of the meeting. After the installation of officers, refreshments were served.

**Town Topics**  
Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Derr of Shabbona visited at the A. L. Derr and I. F. Knauer homes on Sunday. They were supper guests at the Levi Mehlich home.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. Gehant, daughters Dorothy and Joyce of this place and Henry W. Gehant, Jr. of Aurora spent Saturday and Sunday in St. Louis, where they visited with their son Francis, student nurse at Alexian Brothers hospital in that city.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bernardin, son Lawrence of Sterling, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bernardin, Saturday.

H. H. Daneakas, Fay Daneakas, Mrs. Herbert Miller, daughter Betty Ann and Miss Esther Dolan were Aurora shoppers on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Halbmaler, daughter Mary Jo of this place, and Leo Butler of Sublette drove to Waterloo, Ia., over the week end where they visited with relatives.

Robert Preston of Mendota spent Sunday with his friend Stanley Daneakas.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Gehant, Fay and Alice, visited with Thomas Morrissey, who is a patient at the Katherine Shaw Bethesda hospital in Dixon, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fick of Beloit, Wis., Mrs. Bessie Coon, Beaver Dam, Wis., spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Montavon.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McCaffery and children of Walton were Sunday visitors at the Matthew Maier home.

Mrs. Sherman Holdren has been quite ill at her home for the past several days.

Mrs. Mary Sherman, Joseph Bauer, Mrs. Henry Bernardin and Mrs. Joseph Maier were Dixon visitors on Monday afternoon.

G. L. Nelles spent a few days at Rock Island at the S. S. Seaman home.

Mrs. Norbert Ruhland of Ottawa visited at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bieschke on Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Weber and Frank Knauer of Aurora visited at the Irvin Knauer home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Koch and children, Mr. and Mrs. George Montavon Jr. and family of Indiana Harbor, visited at the Peter Montavon home on Sunday.

Mrs. C. H. Elliott and Joan of Amboy, Mrs. Gilbert Foster and son of Phoenix, Ariz., visited at the Irvin Knauer home, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hoerner, children, Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Hoerner were dinner guests Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tony Auchstetter, Ottawa.

Robert Horton was also a guest at the Auchstetter home.

Misses Louisa and Zella Knehl visited with their aunt, Mrs. Carrie Oester at the Fred Leake home in Amboy.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Glaser and son of Lee visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gillette on Monday evening.

Their leaders for the basketball season were named at the high school on Monday afternoon. Those chosen were Alice Gehant, Betty Jane Jones, Oneida Irwin and Fay Daneakas. The first game of the year will be on Tuesday evening, Nov. 21, when West Brooklyn meets Compton at the Compton high school gym.

Miss Lucetta Sperlick of Mendota visited at the Adolf Metzger home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Oester, son Dean, spent Sunday visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Chacon.

Ernest Metzger, Miss Margaret Schmuckel, Miss Mary Alice Shaw, students at Northern State Teachers' college, spent Saturday and Sunday at their homes.

Mrs. George Hahn, daughter Rita Mae were Mendota visitors on Wednesday.

Miss Frances Daneakas of Mendota spent Sunday at the home of her father, H. H. Daneakas.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Wigum, Miss Helen Louise Chacon of Aurora visited on Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Chacon.

Walter D. Gehant of Evanston spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of his father, F. J. Gehant Sr.

Miss Myrtle Hampton visited with her grandmother, Mrs. James Norce at Mendota, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Biggart of Dixon visited at the home of Mrs. Biggart's mother, Mrs. Mary Graf, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kleinfall, Spring Valley, visited at the home of Dr. and Mrs. E. C. White, Sunday.

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## STUDY TESTIMONY THAT WORKERS IN INSTITUTIONS PAY FOR JOBS

Commission Told That Civil Service and Other Employees Pay Out Two Per Cent of Salaries

Springfield, Ill., Nov. 16.—(AP)—Testimony that Civil Service and other employees of state institutions are paying two per cent of their salaries to a jobholders' political association known as the Illinoisans was studied today by the Illinois Civil Service commission.

Three witnesses testified in a commission hearing yesterday that they helped collect the employees' contributions at the hospitals and prisons. Chairman W. Emery Lancaster said the commission would make an early ruling on the question at issue—whether Civil Service employees were "forced" into making political campaign donations.

One outgrowth of the eight-hour hearing was a commission order directing the civil service protective association—the organization which filed the "coercion" complaints—to submit a statement of its own finances.

**Collection Procedure**  
Harold A. Stone and R. F. Mose of Springfield, agents of the Illinoisans, gave much of the testimony concerning the collection procedure. Both asserted employees paid "voluntarily" and that they did not know for what purposes the money was being used.

Stone and Mose said they had letters of introduction from Director A. L. Bowen of the state welfare department, addressed to managing officers of the institutions they visited. The officers notified employees of the Illinoisans' representative's presence, they said. Employees then would come in to sign pledge cards or to make payments on previous pledges. Both witnesses said the payments were two per cent of the employees' salaries and that all employees—including those in civil service—received cards.

Michael F. Ryan, Chicago, counsel for the protective association, questioned all witnesses in an unsuccessful effort to identify the officers of the Illinoisans. All said they didn't know.

**Hired By Walsh**  
Under Ryan's cross-examination, Mose said his \$150 monthly salary checks were signed by Director F. Lynden Smith of the public works and buildings department and William F. Walsin, head of the state administration's employment office. Mose and Stone both said they were hired by Walsh.

Harry Klingbiel, an audit clerk at the East Moline state hospital, said he also received employees' payments up to last June 30 and forwarded them "to the Illinoisans" in care of a Springfield hotel where Democratic state headquarters are located.

"All but two or three of the 500 employees at East Moline signed the pledge cards," Klingbiel said.

"What was the money for?" asked Attorney Ryan.

"For the betterment of the administration, I suppose," Klingbiel replied.

Dr. Walton Tackett, staff physician at East Moline, said he contributed two per cent and that it "was the general understanding it was for campaign purposes."

**Visited at Dixon**

Institutions Mose said he had visited were the Jacksonville, Anna, and Lincoln hospitals, the Normal children's home, and the Menard, Pontiac and Dwight prisons. Stone named the East Moline, Elgin and Dixon hospitals and the Geneva training school.

Dr. Joseph A. Campbell, managing officer of East Moline, testified he caused employees to be notified when Stone appeared there but that he didn't know Stone was collecting money at the hospital. Asked if he was a member of the Illinoisans he replied firmly:

"I am not."  
Chairman Lancaster, who engaged in several verbal exchanges with Ryan, asked for the protective association's financial statement after Clayton F. Devine, association president, testified it had over 4,000 members paying \$12 each in yearly dues. Ryan then said he "assumed" the commission would request a similar statement from the Illinoisans.

**May Request Statement**  
Lancaster said this would be done "if it appears essential."

He informed the hearing that the commission believed "many state officers and employees do not understand that the Civil Service law prohibits solicitation of civil service employees, although they can contribute voluntarily to a political campaign the same as anyone else."

He pointed out also it is contrary to the Civil Service act to receive political contributions from civil service employees in public buildings.

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## McAdoo's Stand for FDR Clears Part of Program

(By The Associated Press)

Washington, Nov. 16.—The declaration of William Gibbs McAdoo for a third term for President Roosevelt helps to light up one side of the California program for the coming campaign; it leaves the other in total darkness.

In 1932, the last time the Democrats had a tussle for the presidential nomination, the California delegation came to Chicago voting for John Nance Garner. McAdoo was its cheerleader.

It was he who sent a cold shudder down Al Smith's spine and crushed his hope of stopping Roosevelt, by climbing to the convention platform and switching California's votes to Roosevelt.

Garner got the vice presidency. McAdoo attached himself to the Roosevelt campaign train in California and was a conspicuous introducer of the presidential candidate all the way down the state. When Roosevelt was not available to speak, McAdoo would say a few words in behalf of his own candidacy for the senate. He was elected.

Last summer when things began to look tough for McAdoo's reelection campaign, Roosevelt went to California and gave him a pat on the back. The president virtually said he did not believe there was a pot of gold at the foot of the pension rainbow.

**On Pension Votes**  
Enough Californians thought that was to erase McAdoo's name from the Democratic ticket and write that of Sheridan Downey in its place. Downey came to the senate in a high tide of pension votes.

Since then, he often has been found voting against presidential measures. His opposition, though frequently springing from a different source of reasoning from that of Vice President Garner, often caused him to vote in exactly the same way Garner might have been expected to vote.

Downey has not forgotten that Roosevelt came into the primary to help McAdoo. Moreover, for years he has been attending Townsend meetings at which something less than idolatry of Roosevelt is regularly preached. New Downey's old opponent of the primary—whom he defeated—is urging a third term for the man for whom, to put it mildly, his feelings are lukewarm.

The Garner managers are saying little about California now. Nor is Downey saying much about his thoughts on the subject. But the Democratic party is made up of a host of men with conflicting views. Stranger things have happened in it than for Downey to wind up under the same sheet with Jack Garner.

## Chester Thompson Made President of Waterways Corporation Yesterday

(By The Associated Press)

Washington, Nov. 16.—Chester Thompson, Rock Island Ill., yesterday became president of the government-owned inland Waterways Corporation. He succeeded Major General T. G. Ashburn, who resigned to re-enter private life.

Thompson, an active proponent of mid-western waterway development for several years, was appointed by the commerce department, which took over supervision of the inland waterways from the war department under President Roosevelt's reorganization program last July.

The department also created the new position of vice president of the corporation and appointed John S. Powell to the job. Powell formerly was comptroller of the corporation and its subsidiary, the Warrior River Terminal Co. Thompson, a former mayor of Rock Island and congressman from Illinois, became, by the change, head of the government-owned barge lines on the Mississippi river.

Former Congressman Thompson made his headquarters in Dixon for an entire summer when the first buildings were constructed at the Dixon state hospital. His father with whom he was associated as a plastering contractor from Rock Island, was awarded the contract for the plastering of the first buildings at the institution.

Ancient Egyptians possessed such musical instruments as the harp, guitar, pipe, trumpet, and drum, according to archeological findings.

## How To Relieve Bronchitis

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## Roosevelt Lays Cornerstone for \$3,000,000 Shrine to Jefferson

(By The Associated Press)

Washington, Nov. 16.—President Roosevelt laid the cornerstone yesterday for a \$3,000,000 marble shrine to Thomas Jefferson and asserted in a brief address that the people of the United States today "are more than ever satisfied with the republican form of government."

The president stood beside the memorial rising to honor the author of the Declaration of Independence to declare the cornerstone was being laid in recognition of the "ever present vitality" of Jefferson's type of Americanism.

"He lived as we live," Roosevelt asserted, "in the midst of a struggle between rule by the self-chosen individual or the self-appointed few, and rule by the franchise and approval of the many. He believed as we do that the average opinion of mankind is in the long run superior to the dictates of the self-chosen."

"During all the years that have followed Thomas Jefferson the United States has expanded his philosophy into a greater achievement of security of the nation, security of the individual and national unity, than in any other part of the world."

**Conflict May Continue**  
It may be, Roosevelt went on,

## Judicial Who's Who Suggested as New Justice

Washington, Nov. 16.—(AP)—A list of names which might serve as a "who's who" of the judicial world was put forward today in speculation over a Supreme court successor to Justice Pierce Butler.

High on the roster were such administration stalwarts as Solicitor General Robert H. Jackson of New York, who has argued many New Deal cases before the high tribunal; Attorney General Frank Murphy of Michigan, and Senator Wagner (D.-N.Y.).

Those who believed the appointment should go to the west, mentioned among others Thurman Arnold of Wyoming, assistant attorney general in charge of the anti-trust division; Senator Lewis B. Schwellenbach of Washington, and Judge Harold Stephens of Utah, a member of the United States Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia.

Advocates of the nomination of a woman advanced the name of Florence E. Allen of Cleveland, a member of the sixth Federal Circuit Court of Appeals.

**May Be "Outsider"**

It also was suggested in some circles that it was entirely possible to name to the court one who is not a lawyer. There is no constitutional requirement that a Supreme Court justice be a member of the legal profession. All thus far have been lawyers.

Others mentioned in unofficial speculation for the post included: Federal Circuit Judge William Denman of San Francisco, Federal Circuit Judge Sam G. Bratton of Albuquerque, N. M., former Democratic Senator.

Justin Miller of California, a member of the United States Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia.

Donald R. Richberg, former administrator of the National Industrial Recovery Act.

Senator Minton (D.-Ind.), Samuel Rosenman and Ferdinand Pecora, judges of the New York Supreme Court.

Robert M. Hutchins, president of the University of Chicago.

James M. Landis, Dean of Harvard law school and former chairman of the securities commission.

Lloyd K. Garrison, dean of the University of Wisconsin law school.

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**FOXX IN FLORIDA**  
St. Petersburg, Fla.—Jimmy Foxx, Red Sox first baseman, has an interest in the operation of a St. Petersburg hotel and country club.

**SCENE CHANGES**  
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### U. S. SHIPPING NEEDS A HELPING HAND

Eventually, perhaps, South American routes will open up for the United States merchant marine. Later, there will be more trade among nations on the American continents when foreign ships are gradually taken off and U. S. commerce and tourist trade increases.

But until then, the United States will have a shipping problem, no matter what attitude government officials may take on transfer of registry for boats now flying the American flag. It is a situation to which no one paid much attention while the debate over the neutrality act revisions was going on in Congress. But, when it was all over, everyone agreed that it should have been foreseen all along.

It is estimated that about 130 of the 4,522 vessels in the American merchant fleet will go out of U. S.-European service because of the new neutrality act restrictions. This means a loss of about \$60,000 tons of the total 11,000,000-ton registry. Application to transfer eight of these ships to Panamanian registry is awaiting action in Washington, while owners of most of the others wait to learn what precedent will be set. Between 8,000 and 10,000 seamen will lose their jobs, according to some union leaders.

Joseph R. Ryan, president of the A. F. of L. International Longshoremen's Union, has indicated that most of the men in his union will not suffer because foreign boats bearing away munitions and war supplies will still have to be loaded by American dockhands. Ryan is not opposed to the transfer of registry. Leaders of other maritime unions, however, have registered emphatic protests.

And protests have come from other sources. Both the spirit of the neutrality law and the Monroe Doctrine have been cited as reasons why transfer of registry should not be permitted. Senator Charles L. McNary (Rep., Ore.) had Panama's interests in mind when he said: "Panama is in a sense a ward of America. The guardian should be mindful of its actions." Others have pointed to Panama's strategic position as a defender of the Panama Canal and the folly of the United States in subjecting this Latin-American nation to any undue international embarrassment.

There is a question whether refusal to permit the transfers would help to keep American seamen employed. Under either circumstance, it appears, seamen would lose their jobs. If the ships are transferred, Britons will replace the crews. If the vessels continue to fly the American flag, they may be forced out of service. Shipping companies can't be expected to send out their boats with empty holds, unless heavily subsidized.

If there is any chance of opening up new trade, in both tourists and freight, among Pan-American nations, this possibility should be thoroughly explored. Such an arrangement would be far the best, amenable to government, labor, and shipping firms alike.

### NAME FOR 'JOURNALISTS'

A committee of the National Council on Professional Education for Journalism has set out to make a survey of American journalism schools with the announced intention of raising the standards in this branch of education. The committee comprises not only editors' and publishers' associations but also journalism school executives.

This brings up again the old question of when does a journalist become a newspaperman—or vice versa. In this country reporters are usually embarrassed and sometimes insulted when someone refers to them as journalists. In England, even the obituary writer is a journalist, he will have you know.

Someone once defined an American journalist as a young man "two weeks out of Columbia." But today even the more advanced journalism students are fighting shy of the term. Maybe this new committee could perform no greater service to the profession as a whole than by starting a movement to standardize the name.

### CUTTING THE SWAG

Twenty-two states are now permitting their citizens to bet their shirts or make a killing on the horses—as long as the state gets a cut of the swag. In 10 representative states, bettors with "sure things" paid the authorities a total of \$7,975,311 in taxes out of total bets of \$213,033,313 in 1938.

Although nearly half the states in the Union are permitting pari-mutuel betting, the legislators who approved this type of gambling have generally not condoned betting wholeheartedly. Their position is simply that if people are going to bet anyway the practice may as well be made legal and the state may as well take a share.

This puts the 22 states in the enviable position of being the only persons in the horse racing picture who really have "hot tips." They can't lose. Even if the favorite comes in with the dawn, the state still collects its share of what the suckers put on his nose. A system has been found, at last—and it works every time.

### FEEDING CIVIL SERVANTS

No shoestring industry is the United States government. The management of federal affairs has become one of the largest single enterprises in the nation. Its roster of employees is larger now than it was during the emergency days of the first World War.

Uncle Sam today has a staff of 939,876 men and women on his payroll. In September, this army collected \$141,629,881 in salary. During the World War, the highest number of employees in the federal service at one time was 917,000. Before that, it had been around 500,000, and after the war it dropped back to that average—until New Deal centralization got going.

One out of every 40 workers in the United States is now drawing a government check, participating in all the benefits of employment security. The average federal salary is \$1,870, although in Washington the average runs to \$2,066. These are nice, comfortable figures. Whether an expenditure of more than 1½ billions a year to run the government is justified will be a matter for debate as soon as 1940 campaigners get their bearings.

## NEWS BEHIND THE NEWS

By PAUL MALLON

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Washington, Nov. 15—All business is naturally hesitant on prices since the government's early war warnings, so Donald M. Nelson, vice president of Sears-Roebuck tip-toed into the commerce department with a plan. It had approval of the department's business advisory council presumably. Only presumptions are possible as far as the council is concerned. It is the group of business men supposed to advise the administration. Occasionally it gathers here without publicity, submits reports that are not made public and disappears without a sound. The business men rarely dare speak of what goes on or what happens to their reports, and the administration never disturbs the vacuum by letting any air or light into it.

Presumably Mr. Nelson's and the council's idea was to establish a bureau in the commerce department where any industry could go with its data justifying a price increase and get some sort of government approval for the increase.

The department replied it has just such a system in force now with one difference: a big one. Although no announcement has been made, the department is ready to receive data on supplies, trends, markets, etc., and if any other government department (meaning Assistant Attorney General Arnold's trust busting department) ever challenges the prices of an industry, the commerce department will be glad to furnish evidence on file. Naturally the government could not approve price increases specifically or grant immunity. This part of the Nelson council program was definitely turned down.

Even so, the willingness of commerce to accept price data may sound like a good new idea and a solution—until you talk to a business man. They do not believe anyone of sound judgment in their group will ever take advantage of the offer. If one did and laid out all his cost data to this one department which he trusted, he might never be quite sure, they say, that some day he might not be confronted with it in court by another government department (meaning Mr. Arnold again, no doubt).

So the business-government rapprochement project blew up again, not through unwillingness or unfairness, but simply because they do not trust each other—a position for which both sides may have ample justification.

Hitler has not risked one of his latest type bombers in attack since the war began. The British are beginning to wonder why. Every sign of an enemy ship they have seen has been the familiar old models, some very old.

Der blitz-fuehrer has sent his latest pursuit types over the west wall at the French. These proved deficient against the French flown Curtiss-Hawks.

But the British would give a lot to know why their enemy's best bombers are being reserved.

Efforts to check rumors of great confusion and unrest within Germany so far have brought only denials to the powers-that-be. Food shortage is much worse than is known outside, but apparently has not seriously affected citizen morale. Dictator nations are able to prevent criticism from jelling much better than democracies, and Hitler is said to be counting on this fact greatly. He thinks citizens support for war will crack in the democracies first.

There is definite information here that the proposed invasion of Belgium and Holland for air bases was opposed by the German general staff because the gain would not be worth the loss. Bases for attacks on Britain could have been obtained, but a shorter direct route would thus have been opened for Britain to bomb the industrial Ruhr. Neutral Holland and Belgium are effective protective screens defending this great German industrial region.

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### RED RYDER



## The Creeping Man

by Frances Sholley Wees

Yesterday, Michael discovers young Gordon Deane enjoying a tugout he has made on the river-bank. Gordon admits that he wrote the anonymous diamond note, broke into the house, and has been generally snooping around with Higgins.

### Chapter 35

**OATH OF SECRECY**  
Gordon thought it over. "I don't know much," he said. "I used to kind of think I did. I used to watch that Lissey old maid snooping around, and I thought maybe she did it, but she didn't. I guess, I've dug about half the woods up looking for Murchison's grave, but I can't find it."

"Don't you think he might have been thrown in the river?" "They say he found him down-stream, wouldn't they?" "Unless a stone, properly tied to the body..." Michael suggested.

"He'd have to row him out in the river, then, to drop..." Gordon stared at him. "My boat!" he said. "I knew the same guy had it."

"Your boat was stolen a year ago, I thought you said, Gordon?" "Yes, that's right. But..."

"But what?" "Oh, nothing. Only there's somebody on this river got a boat. I've heard the oars at night when I've been here."

"Oars at night, eh?" Michael considered. "Late?" Since we came here?"

"Oh, off and on all the time. I don't catch here every night. I have to wait until mom thinks I'm asleep, and I know they are, and then I come down here and read." Michael glanced at the pack of cards on the bench. "And Higgins comes too, eh, and you play cards?"

"Pinchle. He's awful dumb, though."

"Yes, but didn't he swipe a key to the study door for you?" Gordon swallowed miserably.

"Thanks," said Michael. "I had an idea that's where you got it. Now about those oars. Is the boat out in mid-stream or close in?"

"Pretty close in. What gets me is that it always sounds like it's coming in to shore, and I listen, and the oars stop like it's been beached, and I been up and down every inch of this bank for miles and there's no place where a boat's landed. I go out every morning after I hear it, but I can't find it. So I guess it doesn't land here."

"It's up-stream from you, then? Sure it isn't down toward the golf club?"

"Sure. Anyways, there's no landing places downstream either, till you get clear on the other side of town. The bank's too steep."

"Well, I don't suppose it concerns us," Michael looked at the last keenly. "The eyes were steady, the chin firm. Sense there, Michael decided."

"How'd you like to take on the job of helping me solve this mystery, Gordon?" he asked.

Gordon gasped. "Help you? I thought you were going to arrest me for butting in?" "Of course I ought to," Michael said gravely. "But I don't think I will. You see, I need you. I need somebody to do two or three things for me, that nobody will notice. And I need somebody who dog around and ferret out a few things where I mustn't be seen. You're a sharp kid. I'll give you the oath of secrecy and swear you in, and we're away."

Gordon's eyes were shining. "You bet your books I'll help!" he said enthusiastically. "I hate that guy anyway with his buggy brown eyes, and his..."

Michael held up a warning hand. "Shush, Gordon. No guessing allowed. No names mentioned until you can prove it. Now, spit on your right hand, and put it over your heart, and repeat after me. 'I swear, so help me Pete, never to divulge anything I know except to my chief, and I swear to act like a fourteen-year-old kid with no brains as nearly as possible and never to hint that I am a special deputy. I swear more-over to obey orders without question.'"

"The last is the most important," Michael told him, when the oath was taken. "Now we start. The first thing I want to discuss, Gordon, is the 'Creeping Man.'"

### Two Bullets

The inquest on the death of Alis Lissey had been called for Wednesday. On Tuesday afternoon, Michael, coming from the University Post Office by the woodland path, was shot.

Shot at rather, the first bullet went past his chin by a bare fraction of an inch, and buried itself, as he discovered by a careful search later, in a birch tree beside the path.

peace and invasion manipulations have been just about as mystifying to topmost diplomats as to the general public. All they know is "There has been something going on we do not know about."

Considerable excitement existed inside over the week-end but calmed itself out later. Apparently the diplomatic dispatches had indicated a German invasion. However State Secretary Hull's vacation departure has been interpreted by some officials of the state department as meaning that he expects nothing big to break abroad for the next couple of weeks, but there is a saying in the department that "everything Hull goes away something big breaks."

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yard him. The second clipped his coat collar. There were no more because he dropped down instantly behind a big stump, and stayed there for several minutes. The shot had come from the river bank, and as he dropped he had an instantaneous glimpse of a man's figure outlined against the sky through the trees.

"So?" he said to himself as he waited there. "I know too much, eh? And the inquest is tomorrow?"

Tuck came running out of the house, Michael stood up hastily before she saw where he had been and started off toward her. The gentleman with the gun would not remain in his present position for more than a second or two. An idea struck him.

"Go back to the house, honey," he said. "Gordon's got a new rifle, and I promised to help him break it in. I'll be in a few minutes."

"Was that what I heard?" she asked, her face clearing.

"Yes. And I've mind looking for that tennis racket with the red handle? Dave wants it back. Look for it now, will you?"

"Um," she said as she went back.

That would keep her in the house, in safety, he told himself. He raced back down the path to the river, and went swiftly across through the trees. He stood on the edge of the bank, and looked down-stream. There was no one in sight. Cautiously, keeping well inside the line of trees, he followed down the bank until he was even with the Horseshoe.

There was no one, and no trace of anyone. He dropped shells, cigarette cases or anything that an obliging would-be purveyor really should leave behind him.

He went back to the house. "I can't find that old racket," Tuck said, coming in the door. "I don't remember that you ever had one with a red handle, Michael."

"Well, perhaps I gave it back," he said vaguely. "Where's Charlotte Jean?"

"She doesn't know," "Oh," Michael wandered out into the kitchen. Charlotte Jean was folding clothes.

Michael perched himself on the corner of the table. "How's your boy friend these days?" he asked.

"My boy friend, Mr. Michael? Which one do you mean, then?" "The newest one. The pocket size edition, Higgins. By the way, was he overseas, Charlotte Jean?"

"Yes, Mr. Forrester. I think he was."

"Did he ever happen to tell you whether or not he's a good shot?"

"A very good shot, he says," "These men are gay deceivers," Michael told her gloomily.

"Yes, indeed, sir. As for Higgins—I think the little man's crazy, sir."

**"From The Golf Course"**  
"Why?"

"Because he is," Mr. Michael. You'll maybe have heard I told Mrs. Forrester about the money he's comin' into. I didn't so much as mention that I'd told Mrs. Forrester about the fair fine off at the golf course."

"He said I'd no business tellin' his secrets like that, and he hasn't been around since. So I up, and broke the engagement."

"Quite proper, under the circumstances. Does he know you've broken it?"

"No, I haven't had a chance to tell him yet."

"Is he still around the gardens?"

"Oh, yes. Although he is letting the weeds grow in our yard something scandalous."

"He's Mr. Forrester that he might be leaving the country?"

"No, he didn't, sir."

"Well, that's nice. Now weren't you hanging out clothes this afternoon?"

"No, Mr. Michael. I was taking them in."

"But you were out in the yard?" "Yes, sir."

"Were you there when Gordon Deane shot that fire-cracker off?"

"Oh, was that it? It gave me a real start, that it did. Yes, I was there."

"Did you happen to see anyone going into or coming out of any of the houses afterward?"

"Not that I just remember, Mr. Michael. What do you want to know for, if I may ask? Is it something about that old mad guy's last night?"

"Michael got up. "Very little, I'm afraid. You didn't see anyone else?"

"Not that I can remember of. Oh, let me see... I believe I did see Mr. Deane. But he wasn't going anywhere. He was coming home."

"From where, Charlotte Jean?" "From the golf course, I guess. He had his golf bag with him, and he came from the river bank way..."

"You know, over to the right where the path goes down toward the golf course."

"And how long ago was that?" "Oh—let me see—I was just finishing the colored clothes. I guess it was maybe ten minutes or so ago."

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**Wedding Announced**  
Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Farrell received an announcement Tuesday of the marriage of their daughter, Miss Jane Coral Marhofke, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Marhofke of Berkeley, Calif., to Irwin Burton Wilson of Berkeley, Friday, Nov. 10. Mrs. Marhofke, mother of the bride, is the former Marguerite Farrell of Oregon.

**Assembly Program**  
Eighth grade pupils of Oregon elementary school will present a "Professor Quiz" program in the assembly Friday. Joyce Burright will act the part of the professor and questions will be selected from the Junior Review, a weekly current magazine. Angela Seyster will be the announcer and Edith White, time keeper.

**To Witness Game**  
R. L. Kiest, principal, Arthur Driver and Maurice Siebert, coaches of Oregon high school will accompany football players to Madison Saturday to witness the Purdue-Wisconsin game.

**Surgical Patient**  
Mrs. Albert Young submitted to a major operation at the Katherine Shaw Bethel hospital in Dixon Wednesday morning.

**Three of Hanes Family Ill**  
Mrs. Harold Hanes is ill of acute bronchitis, the youngest son, Bobbie, has an ear infection, and John Swanson, who makes his home there, is confined to his bed with heart trouble.

**Equipped with Pumper**  
The chemical tanks are being removed from the city fire truck and replaced by a front end pumper and 300 gallon water tank. Both the rural community and city trucks will now be equipped with pumpers.

**Community Club**  
Pleasant Grove Community club will meet Friday night, Nov. 17. Following the business meeting a program will be presented including musical numbers by the school, a talk of a recent eastern trip by Mrs. Fred Brayton, musical numbers by the Brady family and a dramatization by third grade pupils.

**Attends Services**  
Mrs. S. O. Garard attended funeral services in Compton, Wednesday for a cousin, Mrs. Louise McCue who died in Hines Memorial hospital. She served as nurse overseas during the World War.

**Stated Meeting**  
There will be a stated meeting of Sinissippi chapter O. E. S. to night. There will be a picnic supper and election of officers.

**Bridge Club**  
Mrs. August Sauer was hostess to her bridge club Wednesday afternoon.

**Club Visits Rockford**  
Members of the Pine Creek Woman's club and guests were in Rockford Tuesday for luncheon and a visit to the Miller-Patton bakery and WROK radio station. Those attending were Mesdames John Price, Glen Fetterbaugh, Samuel Hanes, Elmer Lindsey, Robert Lacher, Joe Brown, Harry Davis, Bertha Baker, May Baker, Fred Drexler, Earl Arnold and Mrs. Dickson, the latter's daughter and son and Miss Shaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hardesty were visited the past week-end by the latter's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Garnet Reed, and their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Reed, of Chicago.

Mrs. Charles Donnelly, of Homart, Ind., a student at Purdue University was a week-end guest of Richard Smith and Robert Gantz.

Mr. and Mrs. William Halvorsen and son David were supper guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Clifford.

Mrs. Mark Smith of Dixon is assisting in the care of her niece Sally Clifford, who is ill.

Clifford Young, of Dubuque, Ia., has come to Oregon to accept employment with the Schiller-Cable Piano Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Elliott and daughters and Ronald, Menden were dinner guests Sunday of Sterling friends.

Allen Knauer of Mendota is spending two weeks with his aunt, Mrs. S. O. Garard.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Settles spent the week-end with Mrs. Settles' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Murray Harby at Lynden.

Mrs. Millard Watson is returning home today from the Dixon hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Hughes and Mr. and Mrs. John Hughes were visitors of relatives at Fairfield and Mount Vernon, Ill., over the week-end.

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**Goes to Prison Because He Killed for Quietness**

(By The Associated Press)  
Pittsburgh, Nov. 15 A quiet little man went to prison yesterday for six to 12 years because he killed a neighbor whose wife's clicking heels destroyed the quietness he wanted while listening to a radio church service.

John Black, 42-year-old former

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## Red Cross Donors

The headquarters of the Lee county Red Cross chapter has reported contributions from the following residents of Dixon and vicinity this week:

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# Society News

## WA-TAN-YANS FROM FIVE CHAPTERS CONVERGE HERE FOR INITIATION RITUAL

Eighty-one Wa-Tan-Yen members from Clinton, Iowa, Mt. Carroll, Freeport, Morrison and Dixon met here last evening to witness an impressive initiatory ritual and to hear an enlightening travel talk on Central America and Mexico by Dr. Eugene Vest, faculty member at Monmouth college, lecturer, and world traveler. A turkey dinner preceded the program and initiation.

During his vagabond journey of the past summer, Dr. Vest traveled at various times by freighter, airplane, truck and bus, horseback, automobile, passenger train and afoot on a trip which took him through the Panama Canal zone, Guatemala, the Honduras, Salvador, Nicaragua, Costa Rica and Mexico. As his memory flashed back last evening to his fascinating itinerary, his vivid word picture whisked his audience across jungles, up mountain trails, to colorful volcanic craters, past banana and coffee plantations, through quaint villages, and soaring through the clouds.

While traveling by train, second class, through Costa Rica, Dr. Vest lost his camera to a thief. In Salvador, he purchased clusters of gardenias, orchids and camellias for one peso, (17 cents), which he considers "one of the dividends of traveling in that part of the world." A package of embroidery was stolen from his hotel room in Guatemala, and was awaiting him when he returned to Dixon, having been recovered by the hotel manager and forwarded by another homeward bound tourist.

Conversing with some Indians in the Guatemalan highlands, where, as in China, age and family traditions are venerated, the speaker was told: "We wouldn't want to come to the United States. We'd be killed, wouldn't we?" Passing through a village, Dr. Vest observed a young woman brushing her teeth—dipping the brush in a tiny stream of water along the roadside. He discovered that the regular salary for school teachers in the backwoods is \$8 per month, and the highest salary he heard about was \$22 a month.

**Fear "Evil Eye"**  
Indians in certain sections, he found, are fearful of "the evil eye of mixed blood" and became accustomed to seeing men hide and mothers cover their babies' faces with a cap and drawingstring, at his approach. He arrived in Mexico a day after five men had been killed in a Sunday afternoon shooting fray — and day before yesterday, he received a rebate on a visa, recovered for him by the official tourist agency in Mexico City. A profiteering Mexican official charged him \$4 for the visa before allowing him to enter the country.

Dr. Vest said he noticed marked activity of the Nazis in the Central American countries. Daily papers in hotels were filled with highly-colored propaganda from Berlin—material strained through the Nazi propaganda mill. In the city of Guatemala, the speaker learned that the Nazis are not very well liked, and one big German school where 12 of the 16 teachers were hired from Berlin, had been closed.

"I don't know what they'd do without airplanes," the speaker stated, referring to the people of the countries he visited. Airplanes have brought the people out of the woods and are bringing civilization. He spoke of plans one airport engineer has for introducing 42-passenger planes as soon as possible. "People in those countries live on the tip-toe of expectation," he told his listeners.

**Need Roads**  
Dr. Vest said he believes an excellent opportunity for opening new and worthwhile markets lies in this country's grasp, in return for an investment in building roads in the interior of Central America. "The people have money and are willing to spend it," he declared. "They'd like to have automobiles but there's no place to drive them."

Mrs. Lawrence Poole, toast-mistress for the evening and a former classmate of the speaker in Dixon high school, introduced Dr. Vest, Miss Frances Patrick, president of the hostess club, welcomed the guests.

Special music included two selections by the newly-formed Lincoln school quartet, the Misses Alice Crandall, Mercedes Moore, Savilla Palmer, and Lucille Johnson, who were making their first appearance in public. The singers, who were accompanied by Mrs. Margaret Richards at the piano, chose "Sylvia" by Oley Speaks and "The Bells of St. Mary's" for their debut. The corsages of white chrysanthemums at their left shoulders were a remembrance from Miss Esther Barton, principal of the school.

Miss Marilee Burns was at the piano for group singing, led by Miss Leone Ort, who also entertained with two pleasing solos, "Moonbeams" from "The Red Mill" by Victor Herbert, and "Joy." Words for two of the songs sung by the guests, adapted to the familiar tunes of "Drifting and Dreaming" and "It's a Hundred to One," were written especially for the occasion by Miss Milla Wohlenk, member of the local club.

New Members.  
Miss Lucile Stauffer conducted

## ANNOUNCE CHAIR CANING LESSONS

Chair caning instruction for members of the Lee County Home Bureau has been scheduled as follows: Friday, Nov. 24—Women in the west half of the county at Mrs. Minnie Dollmeyer's home in Dixon, 416 South Ottawa avenue, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.; Friday, Dec. 1—Women in the east half of the county, at the Home Bureau office in Amboy, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.

Members who have done considerable caning will act as leaders for the lesson at Mrs. Dollmeyer's home, and a scramble luncheon is planned. Those wishing to order cane should notify Mrs. Dollmeyer at once.

The group which is to meet in Amboy is also planning a covered dish luncheon, and may place orders for cane at the Home Bureau office.

## ANNING-PRICE

Announcement has been made of the marriage of Miss Edna Price, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Price of Topeka, Kan., to Don Anning, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Anning of Dixon, Tuesday, in Clinton, Iowa. The Rev. Mr. Clements read the vows in a noon ceremony.

The bride wore teal blue with black accessories, and carried a bouquet of white roses. The bridegroom's sister, Miss Ruth Anning, as maid of honor, chose navy blue with black accessories. Her bouquet contained yellow roses. The bridegroom's parents also attended the ceremony.

For the present, the couple will reside with Mr. Anning's parents. The bridegroom is a truck driver.

## EASY ACES

A birthday luncheon, honoring the anniversaries of Mrs. John Nelles and Mrs. William Schuttler, preceded contract games for members of the Easy Aces club yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. B. Ryan. Mrs. Joy Diehl and Mrs. Nelles were fortunate in the card games.

Mrs. Veral Carpenter will entertain the group on Nov. 24.

## MRS. MORRIS WILL ENTERTAIN

Mrs. Arthur Morris will be among tomorrow's bridge hostesses, having arranged luncheon and contract for 11 foursomes.

## High School Receives Flags From W. R. C.

Presentation of 26 American flags, by the Dixon Woman's Relief corps, to be used in the individual class rooms, featured last evening's program for the third annual "Back to School Night" party of the Dixon High School Parent-Teacher association. Approximately 250 guests turned out for the event.

From 7:45 to 9:15, the parents

## Calendar

**Thursday**  
Past Noble Grand club—In I. O. O. F. hall, 6:30 p. m.  
Dixon Travel club — Miss Lorraine Missman, 818 Brinton avenue, hostess, 7:30 P. M.  
Mrs. Earl Laughlin, Jr. of Kirkville, Mo., speaker.  
Mother's Council, Grace Evangelical church—Mrs. Wilson Beaman, hostess, 7:30 P. M.  
St. Anne's Guild—Benefit card party, 8 P. M.  
Sunshine class, St. Paul's church—Election of officers at church, 7:30 P. M.

**Friday**  
South Dixon Farm Bureau—Annual Thanksgiving dinner at Eldena church.

Wawoyke club — Family dinner party.

Dorothy chapter, O. E. S. — Public installation in Masonic temple, 8 P. M.

Elks Ladies' Auxiliary — Guest Day; scramble luncheon, 1 P. M.

Baldwin Auxiliary, United Spanish War Veterans—Benefit card party in G. A. R. hall.

Junior class, Lee Center High School—Play, "Here Comes Charlie," in school gymnasium, 8 P. M.

Nachusa P. T. A.—Oyster supper, beginning at 6 P. M.

Hazelwood school—Box supper, 8 P. M.

W. M. S., Presbyterian church—Annual praise and Thanksgiving service, 2:30 P. M.; Miss Jean Hitchcock, hostess.

General Aid society, Methodist church — Share-a-dish luncheon, 1 P. M.; Dr. F. L. Blewfield, speaker.

War Mothers — All-day meeting in G. A. R. hall; scramble luncheon, honoring national chaplain and state president.

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went from class room to classroom, following an abbreviated schedule of the daily school routine of their sons and daughters. Following the fifth period "classes," the parents assembled in the gymnasium for refreshments served by Mrs. Orville Gearhart's committee, and the flag presentation.

Mrs. H. F. Walder, the P. T. A. president, was in charge of the program. Mrs. Janna Ware, president of the local corps and department senior vice president, introduced the patriotic instructor, Mrs. Maude Hobbs, who presented the flags. Mesdames Ida Rice, Daisy Brenner, Carolyn Boyer, and Bessie Reis, color bearers, assisted with the ceremony.

Miss Alice Richardson headed the committee for the evening. Assisting her were Mrs. Gearhart, Miss Myrtle Scott, Miss Edith Heinle, Miss Helen Hiland, A. C. Bowers, and Marvin Winger.

## LEAVING FOR CALIFORNIA

Mrs. C. A. Garrison entertained at luncheon yesterday, complimenting Mrs. O. H. Voight of Polo, Mr. and Mrs. Voight expect to leave soon for Los Angeles, Calif. to make their home.

**STATE EXAMINATION**  
The Misses Irene Page, Helen Hettler and Pauline Kelly left this morning for Chicago to take the nurse's state board examination. They have been enrolled in the Katherine Shaw Betha hospital training school.

**FROM HOT SPRINGS**  
Mrs. Milo Stratton and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ortgiesen returned Wednesday from a two weeks' stay in Hot Springs, Ark.

## TO REVIEW LIFE OF COL. DEMENT

Members of the Lee County Historical society will hear a paper of more than ordinary interest when they meet on Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Wingert, 302 East Boyd street. Miss Lucia W. Dement will review the life of her grandfather, Col. John Dement, an important figure in the political history of Illinois, in the Blackhawk war, and in the growth of the city of Dixon.

Anyone interested is invited to hear the program, which will open at 7:30 o'clock.

**FIRST YEAR**  
Mrs. R. W. Harman entertained eight young guests from 2 until 4:30 o'clock on Tuesday afternoon, honoring the first birthday anniversary of her little son, Neil. Appointments were in keeping with the Thanksgiving season. Those sharing the birthday fun were Georgiana Stiles, Sandra Jean and Sally Jane Hayden, Susan Linn Stiles, Boyd Melvin, Glenn Rosebrook, Jr., Norman Grimes, Nancy Rorer, their mothers, and Miss Helen Frazier, Mrs. Morton Frazier, Mrs. Frank Teeter, and Mrs. E. R. Frazier.

**WAWOYKE CLUB**  
Members of the Wawoyke club will entertain their families and friends at the club's annual dinner party on Friday evening in the Woodman hall. A chicken and noodle dinner at 6:30 o'clock will be followed by a special program.

**MISSOURI GUEST**  
Mrs. Kate Swearingen of Kansas City, Mo. is visiting at the home of her brother-in-law and niece, James W. Watts and Miss Clea W. Bunnell.

## TO BE BRIDE OF POLO MAN

The Misses Margaret and Mary Rutter of 748 West Galena avenue, Freeport, announce the engagement and approaching wedding of their niece, Miss Doris Rutter, to Lester F. Weaver, son of the Charles Weavers of Polo. The nuptials will be solemnized during the Christmas holidays.

## OBSERVES ANNIVERSARY

Mrs. Louis Bevilacqua of Nelson was observing her birthday anniversary. She was born in Italy.

The Edward Ortgiesens and Mrs. Florence Sheppard were invited to join the Bevilacqua family for the birthday dinner last evening.

## WILL OBSERVE NINETIETH YEAR

James W. Watts will observe his ninetieth birthday anniversary on Saturday at his home, 605 North Ottawa avenue. He is recovering from a recent illness, and is anticipating an enjoyable celebration.

**INDIANA GUEST**  
Mrs. Bessie Port expects to leave tomorrow for her home in Martinsville, Ind., after spending several days here with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Freeman.

**BRIDGE CLUB**  
Miss Mary Hamilton was hostess to her contract bridge club of 12 Tuesday evening. Play will be resumed in two weeks.

(Additional Society on Page 6.)

## WILL MEET WITH ILLINOIS DEANS

Mrs. H. A. White, dean of girls in Dixon high school, left today for Chicago, enroute to Jacksonville to attend a two-day meeting for deans of Illinois. The program for the state gathering will be presented at MacMurray college, with Mrs. Roma Hawkins, Mrs. White's former classmate at Wellesley, as hostess.

From Jacksonville, Mrs. White expects to go to Springfield, where she will visit until Sunday evening with Mrs. Roy Ide and Mrs. Hugo Surman.

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## FANFARE



By DON DANIELSON.

## INDUSTRIAL BASKETBALL

Five teams have entered the 1939-40 Industrial League basketball which is expected to begin on Dec. 1. All five clubs were members of the circuit last year with one under a new banner. The squads include Knacks, champions last season, Borden, Reynolds, I. N. U. and the Soda Grill. The last named organization was under the Eicher flag in the 1938-39 campaign. Last night the managers of the teams met at The Telegraph offices where it was planned to sell season tickets this year for the games to be held each Wednesday night at the high school gymnasium.

## AMBOY NOTES

Five senior boys ended their football careers at Amboy when the Township squad ended its grid season last week end. The last-year men included: Reid Berga, Bob Lester, Bill Fowler, Earl Barnes and Bill Schneider. There will be a large number of lettermen returning next year. Amboy's first basketball game will be played on Dec. 1 when the Township team plays host to Steward.

## STERLING LETTERMEN

Ted Scheid, athletic director at Sterling Township high school, has awarded 24 major football letters. Of this number 17 are seniors and three are four-year men. Twenty-five were awarded a minor letter and four of this number are seniors and one is a four-lettermen. The 17 seniors receiving major letters are: Jim Brown, Jim Jones, Loren Andreas, Floyd Baker, Melvin Bette, Sheldon Boehm, Norman Boggott, Bob Easley, Wayne Eldred, Ed. Friday, Don Gould, Earl Howard, Bob Phillips, Bob Prophet, Bill Smith, Dick Shumaker and Bob Sier. The remaining lettermen are John Q. Adams, Clair Book, Elwin Duhm, Bob Grisser, Ernie Hubbard, Erwin Ridge and John Woodyatt, Eldred, Friday and Phillips were four-year men. Don Church, George Huber, Ray Pettit and John Reigle are the seniors receiving minor letters. Huber was a four-year man. The others are: Wayne Andreas, John Ahrens, Dean Dahlgren, Eugene Fenner, Lawrence Fenner, Dick Fluck, Wayne Friedrichs, John Gould, Elwin Haak, Gerald Keller, De Vere Leonard, Earl Nelson, John Platt, Neil Puckett, Richard Rohrer, Harvey Riser, Milford Shuman, Burdette Steadman, Robert Wolf, Harry Woodyatt and Norval Zigler.

## DONKEY GAME

Harm Wubbena and Hank Hayenga have been appointed managers of the two teams which will engage in a basketball game riding donkeys in the new high school gym at Forrester Friday night. Only five men will play on a team riding the specially trained mounts. The game is called for 8 o'clock.

## A PIN DROP

Everything was so quiet on the sports front today that a pin could be heard dropping on the northside, southside or any side. At the high school they are working out nightly in an effort to make a championship squad from the list of candidates... around the village the oldest are talking of the alumni game which will open the season on Dec. 1... others are wondering if Wisconsin can bump off Purdue and what Iowa's chances are for repeating... also expressed in the current comment was the opinion given out last night that Elmer Layden is the most overworked member of the Irish crew... no other single man of the three or four squads "plays" as much of any game in the tough schedule...

## TEAM ROSTERS

Ken Barnhart, who will manage the Reynolds team in the Industrial League this season has announced that his squad will be composed of Earl Flanagan, Marvin Rebeck, Joe Murphy, Laverne McMillon, Charles Wright, Howard Cinnamon, Eugene Lebre, Grant Young. The I. N. U. team this year will be managed by Ken Emmert, and Paul Rahon will pilot the Borden screw which is expected to be made up of Warfel, Windmiller, Helmick, Bishop and others on the club last season.

## ARKANSAS BACK RANKS HIGHEST GROUND-GAINER

Harmon of Michigan and Christman of Missouri Are Contenders

Seattle, Nov. 16—(AP)—Kay Eakin of Arkansas, the hardest working back in the nation, ranks number one this week as the country's foremost passer and ground-gainer, but a couple of All-American prospects were right on his heels.

The American Football Statistical bureau's records showed today that in eight games, Eakin, despite playing with a losing club which has won two, lost five and tied one, netted 1,021 yards from both passes and scrimmage.

Eakin leads also in the number of pass completions, hitting the target 62 times in 149 attempts, with 14 interceptions.

The two All-American candidates, Tom Harmon of Michigan and Paul "Dizzy Dean" Christman of Missouri, rank right behind Eakin in all-around yardage consumption.

Harmon in six games gained 907 yards and ranks first in average yardage per game with 151.2. He also leads in average gain per play with 7.64.

Third in Net Yardage Christman is third in net yardage gained with 899, and second in pass completions with 53 of 110 in seven games, good for 632 yards. He had nine interceptions.

Johnny Knolla of Creighton, last week's all-around leader, was idle and dropped to fourth, his total still standing at 837 yards. Others in the top ten

(5) Jim "Sweet" LaLanne, North Carolina, tied with Knolla at 887 in eight games. (6) Granny Lansell, U. S. C., 853 yards in six games—the more remarkable because Lansell shares offensive duties with two other quarterbacks; (7) Kenny Washington, U. C. L. A., second last week but idle, 843 yards in six games; (8) Banks McPadden, Clemson, 833 in seven games; (9) Nile Kinnick,

## Butler to Get Chance as Vols Meet Vanderbilt

Knoxville, Tenn., Nov. 16.—(AP)—Opportunity will come knocking at the footsteps of little John Butler Saturday when Vanderbilt's "aerial circus" moves into town to see what it can do about checking Tennessee's second successive unbeaten and untied football season—and a choice bowl assignment.

The 160-pound mercury-heeled sophomore halfback, who left some 40,000 souls spellbound and an Alabama team shell-shocked with a dazzling 56-yard touchdown gallop, will get his chance to prove that historic journey was no flash-in-the-pan.

Butler, a home-town product, moved into the driver's seat of the nation's No. 1 machine when George (Bad News) Cafego, spearhead of the Vol attack, was struck down with a knee injury in the brush with the Citadel last week.

Butler's task was a sizeable one, for Cafego has been one of the south's standout backs for three years; but those who have seen the shifty little fellow truck an average of 7.5 yards per try in 40 sprints from scrimmage were prone to believe he was equal to it.

The tailback of Tennessee's team is the field general, punter, passer and does the lion's share of the running. That's all they're asking of Johnny in the 36th renewal of this Dixie gridiron classic.

## AS CROWES FLY

Columbus, O.—Emmett Crowe, last of seven brothers to perform for Notre Dame, is playing with the Columbus Bullies professional football team.

Iowa All-American candidate, 795 in six games, and (10) Ernie Lain, Rice, 762 in seven games.

The bureau's figures show, evidently enough, that although Kinnick got the seven points that tumbled Notre Dame from the undefeated ranks last week, the Iowa flash played his poorest game of the year—statistically.

## Eakin Leads In Football Gains Purdue and Wisconsin Clash on Saturday

## WISCONSIN STILL HAS DIFFICULTY IN VICTORY LIST

Badgers Boast of Being Leading Ground Gainers in Big Ten

Chicago, Nov. 16—(AP)—Football may have its brighter side for Wisconsin—such as boasting of the Big Ten's leading ground gainer—but the Badgers still are having difficulty in finding an angle that pays off in victories.

George Paskvan, Wisconsin's 200-pound junior fullback, took over the individual ground gaining leadership last week from Michigan's Tom Harmon by running his total yardage to 362 for four games. The Badgers themselves stand fifth in the league in total yards gained with 946. Yet each of their four Big Ten games has resulted in defeat.

Last week's setback was the cruelest of them all. The Badgers had the ball inside Illinois' one yard line with a chance to tie the score at seven-all when the game ended.

This week they try again, against a team immersed in frustration problems of its own—Purdue. In comparison, though, Wisconsin ranks as underdog because the Boilermakers, while failing to measure up to pre-season championship consideration, have won one game and tied another.

Preview Records Dark The Badgers lot becomes even darker in recalling previous meetings. A Wisconsin team coached by Harry Stuhldreher, who came to Madison in 1936, never has beaten Purdue. Nor did his immediate predecessors have much success. Only three times in 13 games played since 1925 has Wisconsin whipped Purdue and two of those were starting enough to be ranked upsets.

Yesterday the Badgers drilled against Purdue plays and their performance, especially at blocking and pass defense, pleased Stuhldreher. Purdue, meantime, revised its defensive setup in anticipation of a hard running attack.

Minnesota and Iowa tested new plays for their clash at Iowa City, Ohio State, expecting an aerial attack from Illinois, polished its own passing game while the Illini gave a convincing display on defense against Buckeye plays.

Defensive preparations also were the order at Michigan, Chicago and Northwestern, but Indiana worked on its ground attack. All play non-conference foes this week—Chicago with Oberlin, Northwestern at Notre Dame, Michigan at Pennsylvania and Indiana at Michigan State.

Notre Dame emphasized offense. "We will need a lot of it to beat Northwestern," Coach Elmer Layden averred.

## Izaak Waltons Protest Lack of Uniform Laws

(By The Associated Press)

Chicago, Nov. 16.—The Izaak Walton League has declared that lack of uniform fishing laws and regulations in eight middle western and eastern states "spells ruin to the future of commercial fishing on the Great Lakes."

The states concerned, General Manager Kenneth A. Reid said, were Illinois, Minnesota, Michigan, Indiana, Wisconsin, New York and Pennsylvania.

Citing Dr. John Van Oosten of the U. S. Bureau of Fisheries as an authority, Reid said:

"Under the present system of state control wholesale seining during the spawning season has resulted in the commercial production of trout, wall-eye pike, perch, whitefish, chub and other desirable species having decreased as much as 90 per cent."

"Short-sighted interests have prevented the enactment of the necessary legislation in the several states, preferring to fool themselves into believing that immediate profits are of more importance than a permanent supply. The league believes that so long as such influences dictate state legislation, the only salient is federal or international legislation."

Reid said "some concerted action" by the league was expected next month at state conventions in Ohio, Indiana and Minnesota, "culminating in a nation-wide drive for remedial regulations" at the national convention in Chicago next March.

## FIGHTS LAST NIGHT

(By The Associated Press) Cincinnati—Chuck Crowell, 218, Los Angeles, outpointed Charlie Belanger, 196, Toronto, (10). Philadelphia, Pa.—Wally Sears 180, Minersville, Pa., outpointed Del Paoli, 175, Philadelphia, (8).

## Coach of the Year

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DR. EDDIE ANDERSON

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OPERATED ON HAWKEYE TEAM... ONE TACKLE WAS A FULLBACK... THE OTHER HAD NEVER PLAYED FOOTBALL... AN END IS PLAYING GUARD... SQUAD IS SO SMALL... DR. ANDERSON CANNOT AFFORD TO RISK INJURIES IN PRACTICE... PRACTICALLY NO CONTACT WORK... IRON MEN ARE WELDED TOGETHER FOR SATURDAY...

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Team Records... High team game, Boynton-Richards 1073, High team series, Hi-Way Grill 3025.

Individual Records... High individual game, Dwyre 274, F. Smith 267, High individual series, Dschbach 664, J. Smith 651.

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Hi-Way Grill... F. Smith... Hanson... J. Smith... Klein... Poole

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Manhattan... Shawger... Rosecrans... Badger... Dwyre... Worley

Totals... 945 921 1009 2875

United Cigar... Loftus... Keenan... Kiefer... Giannoni... Fitzsimmons

Totals... 873 852 927 2652

Fotters... Graff... R. Potter... Dockery... Welch... Ridebauer

Totals... 838 985 872 2695

Ladies Afternoon League... Tigers... Cubs... Yankees... White Sox

Totals... 803 707 751 2261

White Sox... Ventler... H. Stevens... Williams... Bavlaquia... Dschbach

Totals... 814 881 738 2433

Schedule for Thursday, Nov. 16... 7 P. M. Round Up vs. In and Outers, Ted's vs. Coss.

9 P. M.—Hill Bros. vs. Sparkys, Rink vs. Rubey's.

DANGEROUS THOUGH... Massillon, O.—Tom Henrich, New York Yankee outfielder, intends to keep in condition this winter by playing hockey with a local amateur team.

BLANKET FINISH... Miami, Fla.—University of Florida presents rival football captains with a blanket before each game.

HITS BOOKS, TOO... New York—Stanley Mikulka, N. Y. U. triple-threat halfback, is the highest-ranking engineering student in his class.

BARRY WOOD RETURNS... Cambridge, Mass.—Barry Wood, Harvard's great quarterback a few years ago, is back in school doing medical research.

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## WALNUT

Dorothy Mae Waring  
Reporter  
Telephone L-381

Mrs. Joe Hopkins and Mrs. Glenn Renner were Dixon shoppers on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Wickley of Princeton were Wednesday night supper guests of her mother, Mrs. Marybelle Russell and daughter, Mrs. Elmer Nelick and Mrs. Glenn Bass were Princeton shoppers on Tuesday.

Wednesday afternoon guests of Mrs. J. M. Arnold were Mrs. Mary Starn, Mrs. Roy McKencie of Tampico and Sandra Sue Schmidt of Sterling.

Mrs. Lucille Fritz returned from Littleton, Colorado, on Tuesday morning. She is staying with her sister, Mrs. Eugene Whitver, LeRoy Forestal and brother-in-law Melvin Fenwick of Malden called on Mrs. Charles Watkins and daughters on Wednesday. They also called on Mr. and Mrs. Matson Epperson and son.

**Bridge Dinner**  
Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Arnold entertained at a bridge dinner on Tuesday evening. There were two tables at play with Mrs. Howard Smith holding high score for evening. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Miller. The next club meets in two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Smith.

## Analysis—

(Continued from Page 1.)

much. You see determination to face any odds — precautionary preparations for a long war — already a shortage of materials which is causing anxiety — and perhaps fears that after all Russia isn't going to make up the great deficiency which Germany is bound to encounter unless she can get outside supplies.

This situation, of course, is exactly what the Allied blockade is aiming at—to crack the civilian morale of Germany. Hitler retorted the other day:

"This war will be easier than that of 1914. We are prepared economically this time. Neither militarily nor economically can we be defeated."

Be that as may, the Reich has piled up reserve supplies — just how many nobody except officialdom knows. It has been announced that there is more than a full year's reserve of wheat and rye on hand—8,600,000 tons.

Officials claim that so long as Germany has fairly good harvests and the Balkan granaries remain open, the grain reserve need not be touched. Indeed, they boast that they can defy the blockade.

Many neutral economic experts get a different slant on the situation. Germany has to import some 20 per cent of her food. The Balkans cannot supply this deficiency, although Russia possibly could if she would. There are vital war materials which neither the Balkans nor Russia can produce—and the blockade cuts those off.

One of Germany's great difficulties is that she lacks cash with which to buy from those neutrals still open to her. Perhaps because of this some of the Balkans have been selling for gold to the Allies supplies which Germany needs and normally would get.

Thus much depends on Russia's intentions toward Germany, and the Soviet ability to deliver the goods—if it wants to.

For each passenger car there are 44 freight cars in service, according to the Association of American Railroads.

The Detroit river sometimes is called the "Dardanelles of the New World."

'Loyal American', Bergdoll by Name



Her husband now is imprisoned for draft-dodging and army desertion but "Loy" Gover Bergdoll declared "I'll raise an American family" when, as pictured above, she left a Philadelphia hospital with her two-week-old daughter and namesake Berta. The baby is her sixth child.

## In New York

By GEORGE TUCKER

New York—New York ties in so easily with any other section of America—past or present. . . . I was thinking of this today, and about that worn, harried man who kept pacing up and down in front of the wagon. . . . It was a big wagon, with plenty of bear-grease on the axles, so the wheels wouldn't squeak. . . . It wasn't just a wagon. . . . It was more than that. . . . It had great billows of canvas, and an opening at the end, where a woman in a bonnet sat in dumb misery, staring at the child whose head lay in her lap.

As far as the eye could see lay the rolling prairies. . . . As high as the eye could see climbed the stars, the glittery white stars, that seem far for awhile, but then they come down low over the prairie and aren't afraid of anything except, perhaps, the howl of a coyote.

If you were in New York, in 45th street, you saw that scene—the prairie scene from "Abe Lincoln in Illinois." . . . Some people called it the Prayer scene, because after awhile a long, loose-jointed Ichabod Crane of a man, old before his time, with stooped shoulders and tired, lonely eyes comes walking up out of the prairie. . . . He says, "Hello, Seth. . . . How are you. . . . How's your little boy. . . ."

They shake hands, and then that other man—the man with the wagon and the woman with the bonnet and the little boy—begins to talk. . . . The words pour out. . . . They half strange him as they come out. . . . "He's sick, Abe. . . . It's the swamp-fever. . . . Isn't there a doctor around? Isn't there a preacher. . . . He's got it bad, Abe. . . . you can hear him moaning all through the night. He can't get his breath. . . . It's

## STEWART

A number of children are out of school with chicken pox.

Mrs. C. Preston, Miss Lucinda Preston and Mrs. Jewel of Oak Park were guests on Sunday at the F. W. Hewitt home.

The Arvid Anderson family spent Armistice day in Rockford. Mrs. Elizabeth Hochstrasser entertained Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Noyes and Miss Lucille Noyes on Sunday at her home, in honor of the birthday of Mrs. Noyes.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Babcock and son Jerry spent Sunday at the Alvin Baker home in Watertown.

Mrs. Ernest Cutler and daughters of Flagg Center spent Friday in Steward with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hayes spent Saturday in Rockford at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Adron Lane. Miss Myra Bird is entertaining a number of friends here this week at the John Bird home.

Mr. and Mrs. Yale Bates and Mr. and Mrs. Julius Kugler motored to Belvidere Sunday and were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hess were dinner guests on Sunday of Mrs. Ada Schoenholtz near Paw Paw.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Fell were in Plainfield visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Mead.

Mrs. Joseph Winter and daughter, Miss Faldene Winter of Shanghai were visitors here last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Phipps.

Mrs. Sam Carpinette of Chicago spent the week-end with her uncle, John Bird, and sister, Miss Myra Bird.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Reppine of Chicago spent the week-end at the Rudolph Reppine home.

Mrs. Emma Foster attended the carnival at the Creston gym Friday evening.

The Epworth league of Steward and Scarboro league were entertained Friday evening at the parsonage.

Miss Aileen Durin came out from Chicago Saturday evening and visited her mother and aunt, Miss Sadie Parker. The latter returned to the city with her Sunday.

Mrs. J. M. Thompson has been confined to her home for some time, suffering with arthritis.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Kirby of Chicago spent the week-end at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Kirby.

The Rook club met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Totten on Friday evening, south of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Pearson and family of Sycamore were callers Sunday afternoon at the Clifford Allibone home.

Mrs. Minnie Kersten and family were Sunday evening callers at the Joe Andes, Sr. home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Ackland of rear Rochelle were Sunday callers at the Harry Andes home.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Halverson of Creston were callers Friday evening at the G. P. Levey home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Rapp spent the week-end in San Jose with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Cratty and son of Mount Morris and Mrs. Verne Byerhoff and son of Dixon were Sunday visitors at the home of Mrs. Mary Carney.

Mr. and Mrs. Garfield Schenck of Cherry Valley and the Harry Macklin family of near Steward were dinner guests at the R. D. Macklin home.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Powell and daughter of Stratford spent the week-end at the F. G. Woolf home.

Mr. and Mrs. Myron Ewing and baby of Steward and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Ewing and son of Malden were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Daim.

Mr. and Mrs. Lucien Hemenway, Mrs. Lester Ream, Mr. and Mrs. Merwin Hemenway and family celebrated birthdays at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond near Hinkley on Sunday—all birthdays in these families.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Titus of De Kalb were callers Sunday evening at the G. P. Levey home.

Averaging automobile drivers lose efficiency rapidly after about seven hours of driving.

got him, Abe, the swamp-fever. . . . Say something, Abe, can't you?"

"I'll try, if you want me to, Seth. . . . If you think Mrs. Gale would want me too, though I ain't much good at speaking prayers."

You must remember that scene—that prayer. . . . I guess no one could adequately describe it. . . . But anyway you sat there, not in a theater, but out there on the lonely prairie, under those low, white stars, and heard that deep voice that must have come from some secret pocket of a man's soul. . . . It began something like this: "O God, the Father of all living, I ask You to look with gentle mercy on this little boy here, lying sick in this covered wagon. . . ."

I suppose this scene, and the way Raymond Massey handled it, has been discussed more than any scene in any New York play since I have been kicking around Broadway.

We were talking about it the other night, and like that—the deep, humble voice of Massey—as Lincoln—came floating into the room. You couldn't believe it. . . . But there it was in the Prayer scene. . . . and other scenes. . . . What happened was that someone stepped into another room and put on one of the Lincoln records. . . . There are three of

them—scenes from "Abe Lincoln in Illinois," which Massey and the rest of the cast have made. The other scenes go back to Lincoln's proposal to Ann Rutledge, and the Douglas debates, and his farewell as he leaves for the White House, and that strange, poignant scene with the drunkard in a law office in New Salem.

This isn't a new idea, but it is a good one. John Barrymore made the soliloquies from Hamlet some years ago, and Maurice Evans recorded the more inspired passages from Richard II last year. It's something that should be done for all good plays by the actors who play them.

## County Chairmen Of GOP Meet For Campaign Plans

Springfield, Ill., Nov. 16—(AP)—Republican county chairmen from 35 central Illinois counties met here today to talk 1940 campaign strategy and the advisability of the Illinois County Chairmen's Association recommending a state primary ticket to the voters.

Nobel G. Johnson, Paxton, head of the chairmen's group in the third Appellate court district, said he found "some sentiment" among the chairmen for such recommendations. He said the question of "recommending a list of suitable candidates" by the state organization would be considered this afternoon in an executive session.

## Hunters and Guide Get Maximum Penalties for Transporting Venison

(By The Associated Press)

Madison, Wis., Nov. 16—A. M. Umshler and E. R. Purkhiser, Chicago railroad officials, and Henry Catfish, Indian guide of Lac Du Flambeau, Wis., were given maximum penalties by Superior Judge Roy H. Proctor here on charges of possessing and transporting venison.

Umshler and Purkhiser paid fines of \$100 and costs. Purkhiser's car was confiscated by the state conservation department. Catfish was unable to pay a fine of \$100 and costs and was committed to county jail for three months.

Court officials identified Umshler as superintendent of the Illinois Central railroad and the Chicago and Illinois Western railroad companies and Purkhiser as a claim investigator for the Chicago & Western Indiana railroad and Belt Railway companies.

Umshler and Catfish pleaded guilty to charges of possessing deer meat out of season. Purkhiser pleaded guilty to a charge of transporting deer out of season.

Umshler testified he purchased the carcass of one deer and four quarters of other animals for 20 cents a pound at Lac Du Flambeau.

Domestication of the cat is credited to the ancient Egyptians.

## PLAN DORMITORY

Champaign—(AP)—A plan to build a \$700,000 men's dormitory, the first on the campus, was announced last night by the University of Illinois. Completion was expected by September, 1941. It will house 300 men. Financing will be handled by a self-liquidating loan arranged through the University of Illinois foundation, an alumni organization.

## Husker Takes on His Competitors Before He Collects Kisses

New Boston, Mo., Nov. 16.

(AP)—Earl Green won the husking bee and then had to take on half a dozen of his competitors before he could collect his prize—a kiss from every woman on the place.

Earl, a 280-pounder, found 18 of the 36 red ears well concealed

in fifty bushels of corn. There were some objections when he started to collect.

After delivering a few hefty rights, Earl challenged the crowd. There were no takers.

Twelve hundred guests, including the entire town of Goldsberry, crowded into this community of 150 population for the bee.

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OUR OWN Tea Balls 8 ball bag 5c	SPRY Shortening 3 lb. can 48c
	ANN PAGE Sparkle 3 pkgs. 10c

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CRANBERRIES 2 lbs. 27c	ONIONS 50 lb. bag 69c
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## Vote to Set Up Five-Day Week for Printers

Indianapolis, Nov. 16—(AP)—Members of the International Typographical Union voted by two to one to set up a five-day week in the printing industry by January 1, 1942, Woodruff Randolph, secretary-treasurer of the union, announced today.

The present six-day week of six hours and 40 minutes a day would be supplanted by five-day week contracts with the various publishers by 1942 according to the authority vested in union officials by a referendum conducted among the members by mail ballot. The vote was 7,221 to 15,664.

The union members adopted two other amendments to the organization's by-laws and turned down two proposals.

By an overwhelming vote of 44,648 to 5,794, the union exempted members in active military and naval service from all local and international dues and assessments and authorized \$25,294 to 24,094 officers and members employed by the union to use airplane transportation in emergencies.

The union voted down, 27,441 to 23,434, a proposal to reduce temporarily the pension and mortality assessment from two per cent to one and one half per cent, followed by an increase to two per cent as soon as the pension fund balance drops to \$1,500,000.

A decided vote was cast against the proposal to change the by-laws to provide for an executive council of six members instead of the present five members. This amendment would have placed the union president, first, second and third vice-presidents and the secretary-treasurer, all printer members, and the president of the mailers' union on the council. The vote was 31,363 against and 18,452 for.

## Supreme Court—

(Continued from Page 1.)

court vacancy for Mr. Roosevelt to fill, left the bench in the midst of the congressional battle over the President's judicial reorganization plan.

This was widely regarded as contributing to the defeat of the legislation, which would have added a new Supreme Court justice for each one over 70 who did not retire.

Pierce Butler's career was the traditional American success story—a farm boy rising to wealth and high place through his own energies and initiative.

He was born in a Minnesota log cabin, worked his way through college, became the leading railroad attorney of the northwest and amassed a fortune before his appointment to the supreme court at the age of 56.

His background of rugged individualism was evidenced in his judicial philosophy. As a supreme court justice he was a staunch defender of the individual and property rights which he held were guaranteed by the constitution.

There should be no legislation, he once said, which would hamper any poor youth from making his way to the top.

His view on the constitution aligned him invariably, in split decisions, with the conservatives. He Van Devanter, Sutherland and McReynolds voted to invalidate most of the New Deal laws of President Roosevelt's first term that reached the court.

Of all the justices, only McReynolds voted more often against these legislative innovations. Butler balloted 17 times against the administration and 10 for it in the first 27 tests to reach the court.

Opposed "Dole" Law

He wrote an outspoken dissent to a majority opinion holding constitutional the unemployment insurance provisions of the social security act.

"The constitution," he said, "grants to the United States no

## University Dean Says World Now Facing Catastrophic Moral Crisis

Champaign, Ill., Nov. 16—(AP)—Dean A. J. Harno, University of Illinois college law dean and university provost, said today the world is facing a moral crisis "of catastrophic proportions."

In building character to meet this crisis, Dean Harno said, educational institutions need the assistance of religious institutions. The occasion of the dean's statement was the 25th anniversary of the establishing of the Illinois campus of the Methodist Episcopal church's Wesley foundation—the first in the nation.

"No one who seeks to make an honest appraisal of the trouble some years through which we have passed in the last decade can escape the conviction that the most serious crisis of all has been a crisis in morals," the dean said.

"No one, I believe, who views the world situation today can deny that we are facing another crisis in morals, and this time one of catastrophic proportions."

"The cry is raised that we must rely on education to lead the people of the world from despair,

But education which deals only with the intellect does not suffice," he said.

Says University is Fortunate

The dean said the university was fortunate "in the fine religious foundations established about its campus," and he listed the following:

Illinois Disciples' Foundation, Newman Foundation, Episcopal Foundation, Hiller Foundation, Pilgrim Foundation, Lutheran Student Association, McKinley Foundation, Wesley Foundation, Young Men's Christian Association and Young Women's Christian Association.

"We in the university hold it to be our responsibility to foster those influences which tend to build character. We welcome with enthusiasm the agencies which the people and various groups thereof have established here to strengthen and complement our work," he said.

"To the Wesley foundation goes the credit of having been a pioneer in the establishment of a religious foundation. It has set the pattern for the others," he said.

power to pay unemployed persons or to require the states to enact laws or to raise or disburse money for that purpose.

Because of Butler's known conservative views his appointment to the supreme court in 1922 by President Harding aroused bitter opposition. The progressives of the northwest attacked him as a "reactionary"; the city council of Minneapolis adopted a resolution criticizing the selection.

None, however, charged that the new justice lacked legal learning and skill. He held high rank and respect in the Minnesota bar and numbered among his clients the Great Northern, Northern Pacific, Burlington, New York Central and Chicago & St. Paul, Minneapolis and Omaha railroads, and the St. Paul Gas & Light Company.

He had won a national reputation in 1907 for his handling of the Minnesota rate case for the northwest railroads. This case attracted attention because it was the first real test of the power of a state to regulate interstate rates. Butler won in the lower courts but lost in the supreme.

But Butler's talents as a lawyer were not confined to railroads. The government utilized his skill in the 1909-10 bleached flour cases under the food and drug act and in the first prosecutions under the Sherman anti-trust act, the defendants being Armour's, Swift's and other Chicago meat-packing concerns.

Early Court With Taft

Canada retained him as its counsel in arbitration proceedings to determine the price it should pay in the purchase of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway.

The packers and the Canadian cases brought Butler under the observation of William Howard Taft, with whom he later was to serve on the highest court. The packers were prosecuted while Taft was president, and in the Grand Trunk Pacific arbitration he was one of the commissioners. Butler won his points in that proceeding over the dissent of Taft.

Butler was a member of President Wilson's conference committee on federal valuation of railroads, from 1913 to 1918.

Butler's parents, Patrick and

supreme court. One of his early partners was William DeWitt Mitchell, who became attorney general of the United States in the Hoover administration. A fellow railroad attorney in the Minnesota capital who also gained fame as a "trust buster," was Frank B. Kellogg, secretary of state in the Coolidge cabinet.

The only elective office Butler ever held was that of county attorney of Ramsey county, 1893-97, after he had served two years, 1891-93, as assistant county attorney, an appointive post. He was prosecuting attorney for the city of St. Paul for six years and, from 1907, was a regent of the University of Minnesota.

In 1891 he married Annie Cronin St. Paul. They had eight children. One daughter, Mary, died while serving as an army nurse in the World War. Four sons also served in the military forces.

A hulking big man, 6 feet, 1 1/2 inches tall and weighing 220 pounds, Butler had much of the geniality popularly associated with that physical type. He was known as a good companion, lively, gifted with a sense of humor and a fine story teller. He became the biggest man on the court, physically, upon the death of Chief Justice Taft.

He devoted to his family all the time he could reserve from professional and public duties. His pastime was golf, but he played with more enthusiasm than success.

A lover of a jest himself, he appreciated as much anyone a sly joke which Justice Oliver Wendell Holmes took at him in the majority opinion upholding the right of Virginia to sterilize its mental defectives. Butler cast a lone dissenting vote and Holmes ended the majority opinion:

"Three generations of imbeciles are enough. Mr. Justice Butler dissents."

In England, the making of ice cream once was a royal secret. So well was it liked by Charles I that he pensioned his cook to keep it a secret for the exclusive use of the royal household.

## FIRE CAUSES LOSS OF THOUSANDS ON FARM NEAR DEKALB

Dekalb, Nov. 16—A fire on Harry G. Wright's farm southeast of here caused damage estimated at \$35,000 yesterday. More than 135 animals perished, including 96 steers, 30 hogs and four horses. Wright is a former state senator from the 35th district.

The fire, discovered at 2:45 o'clock yesterday morning, was still burning in the afternoon, although it was under control about an hour after the Dekalb fire department rural truck reached the scene. Two firemen, Captain Stanley Tastad and Fireman Robert Boardman, suffered minor but painful burns in bringing the blaze under control. Despite their injuries they returned to the scene shortly before noon to relieve the two firemen who had believed them in the morning.

The loss is but partially covered by insurance, it was stated, the major portion of the insurance being upon the buildings which were destroyed. It was reported that the insurance will cover less than half of the loss while the greater part of the unprotected loss will be in the contents of the buildings, including the livestock destroyed.

Ben McNeely operates the farm, on a share basis, for Mr. Wright. McNeely is operator.

Mrs. McNeely, according to Mr. McNeely discovered the blaze. When he was awakened and reported the blaze to the fire department the south end of the huge barn, one of the most modern in this territory, was burning. He immediately called the fire de-

partment, Captain Tastad and Fireman Robert Boardman answering the alarm, and before they arrived with the rural fire truck the entire barn was a mass of flames and the fire had spread to the corn crib, located to the south of the barn.

They centered their attention on the adjoining buildings. Fighting the fire and protecting the buildings was difficult due to the inadequate water supply. For a time the only source of water was from the house. Later water was hauled in tanks from adjoining farms. Neighbors who came to the assistance of Mr. McNeely pulled the large chicken house, located to the west of the corn crib, and built on skids, to a safe place and otherwise gave what assistance they could in fighting the flames. The firemen poured water on the machine shed, saving this building although the east wall was badly scorched and charred. The tops of both silos, located to the north of the barn, were burned.

Human cancer can be transmitted to roses.

Every cell—and every headset—was occupied as the system went into general operation, and approval was unanimous. One convict announced he was "really enjoying life after serving 17 years."

The idea of a radio in every cell has been in the back of Leo J. Utecht's mind ever since he was appointed warden two years ago. The prisoners installed the jacks in the cells, and built the cabinet for the central set in the prison shops.

Today Utecht said there was a decided improvement in prison morale and discipline as soon as the radio was installed. That, he explained, was because convicts were fearful of losing the privilege of listening if they violated prison rules.

Human cancer can be transmitted to roses.

## Local Grocery Window Is Attracting Attention

The north window of the Royal Blue grocery store is attracting much interest among passers-by because of its unusual theme and manner of presentation. The entire window is devoted to a unique and colorful display of Royal Anne Cherries, a chocolate confection manufactured by Brach & Company.

The Royal Blue Store, of which Eldon Myers is proprietor, has entered its display in a nationwide contest sponsored by the manufacturer. This store has in the past won prizes in similar contests. Walter C. Knack, local distributor of the product, co-operated with Mr. Myers in arranging this display.

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## Introduce Radio Into Cells at Penitentiary

Stillwater, Minn., Nov. 16—(AP)—Laughter and music seeped through the high brick walls of Stillwater penitentiary today, and prisoners who had spent many years behind those walls went goggle-eyed at their introduction to radio.

It was the debut of the prison's new radio system, with a central receiving set connected with in-

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**COUNTRY CLUB FLOUR** 48-lb. bag \$1.17 24 lb. bag 59c

**BULK NAVY BEANS** 5 lbs. 19c

**Angel Food Cakes** Large size 25c

**PEACHES** Country Club 2 No. 2 1/2 cans 27c

**Pillsbury FLOUR** 48-lb. bag \$1.57 24 lb. bag 79c

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**BLUE LABEL**

**Karo Syrup** 5 lb. can 25c

**CHASE & SANBORN**

**Coffee** lb. bag 23c

**PACKER'S LABEL**

**Preserves** 2 lb. jar 33c

**PACKER'S LABEL PINK**

**Salmon** 2 tall cans 23c

**BAKING POWDER** 12-oz. can 35c

**Roal** 12-oz. can 35c

**COUNTRY CLUB**

**Pumpkin** 3 No. 2 1/2 cans 29c

**NEW CROP ENGLISH**

**Wainuts** lb. 22c

**N. B. C. PRIDE**

**Assortment** pkg. 27c

**GREY RABBIT**

**Molasses** 1 1/2-lb. can 15c

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**Brillo** pkg. 9c

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**SAUSAGE** 2 lbs. 35c

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**HAMBURGER** 17 1/2c lb.

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NET STAR

**HORIZONTAL**

1. 6 Pictured tennis player.

11 Loves.

13 Whoddy.

14 Dragmets.

16 To carol.

17 One who runs away.

19 Indian.

20 Jewel.

21 Before.

22 Railway.

23 Organ of hearing.

24 Pleased.

25 Tatter.

28 Insect.

29 Perishes.

30 To carry burdens.

31 Fence bar.

33 Water main connections.

35 Sinless.

37 To clatter.

39 Street.

40 Color.

41 To implore.

42 Rodent.

43 Prevaricator.

**Answer to Previous Puzzle**

20 Forcible restraint of speech.

23 One who praises.

24 To encircle.

25 To restrict.

26 Lava.

27 Hails.

28 Flour box.

29 To refute.

30 Wager.

32 Busy insect.

33 Dread.

34 To loiter.

36 Violent collision.

38 Cuplike spoon.

41 Hair ribbon tie.

43 Romanian money.

44 Mountain range pass.

45 Skillet.

46 Behold.

47 Chaos.

48 Note in scale.

**VERTICAL**

1 The soul.

2 Queerness.

3 Defrayed.

4 To boost.

5 Taxaceous tree.

7 Within.

8 Believer in the gospel.

9 To leave.

10 Trapped.

12 To jeer.

15 Tree.

16 To amaze.

18 Obliterations.

44 Kind of lettuce.

45 Stuffings.

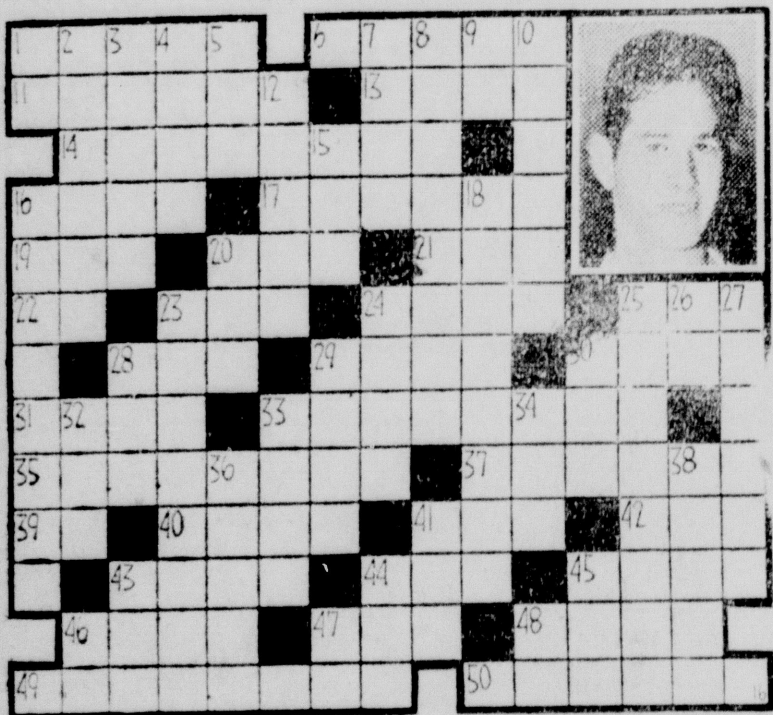
46 Not so much.

47 At this time.

48 To depart by boat.

49 This champion is only 19 years old.

50 He is the American singles title.



GLANCES

By Galbraith



"What's the feature tonight—dishes, furniture, bingo, or Clark Gable?"

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson



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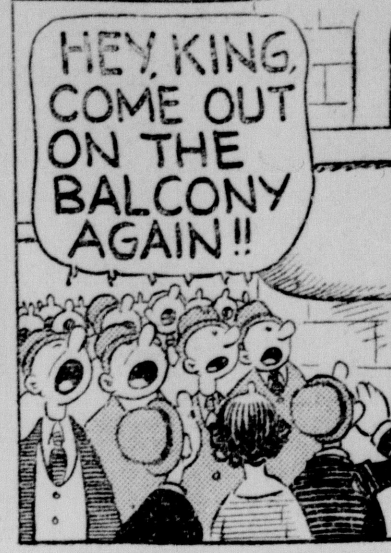
A DAIRY COMPANY IN MEMPHIS, TENN., OFFERED A PINT OF ICE CREAM FOR EVERY FOUR-LEAVED CLOVER... AND OVER FIFTY THOUSAND WERE BROUGHT IN THE FIRST DAY.



ANSWER: Right. Rubber trees are no more limber or rubbery than the average tree.

NEXT: A has drink of water for an elephant.

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# SEVEN WOMEN ON JURY AS RUSSELL CASE IS STARTED

## Faces Charges of the Kidnaping, Murder of Salesman

Chicago, Nov. 16—(AP)—Jack Russell faced a federal court jury of seven women and five men today as the government summoned more witnesses for his trial on charges of kidnaping and murdering a young Kansas salesman.

Court attaches said it was the first mixed jury in Cook county (Chicago) history empowered to impose the death penalty, since Illinois only recently qualified women for jury duty.

After the jury was selected yesterday the women members, especially, gazed curiously at Russell as he sat surrounded by guards. He stared back blandly. Mrs. Charles Eminier, wife of the Illinois WPA administrator, and Mrs. Charles Hartshorne, wife of a University of Chicago professor, were among the jurors.

The government charged that Russell, alias Oliver Lawrence Dressler, 39, escaped last July 11 from the state prison at McAlester, Okla., where he was serving 10 years for robbery, kidnaped William Scott Hamilton, 23, an Arkansas City, Kan., flour salesman, near Pittsburg, Kan., and shot him to death near Ringwood, Ill., on July 14.

Identifies Russell  
The prehistoric prosecution witness yesterday was Robert Edward Brown, 72, a McAlester pho-

tographer, who identified Russell as the man who kidnaped him and held him captive on a 26-hour automobile flight through three states prior to the alleged Hamilton kidnaping.

Brown leaned back comfortably in the witness chair and drew out the story of how he "out-talked" Russell during the drive and even became "a pal" of his captor. The witness said Russell bought him a pint of whiskey at Van Buren, Ark. He said that the next day the car broke down near Pittsburg, and that then Russell let him go and started to look for another car.

The government alleged Russell found another car, Hamilton's, and forced the salesman to drive him to Illinois.

Another witness, Roy S. Reed, Kansas City salesman, identified Russell as a man who attempted to stop him, Reed, near Pittsburg the morning of July 12.

W. H. Riddle, the prison guard from whom Russell escaped, testified they had gone to an optometrist's in McAlester, then stopped in a hotel room to have some beer and while there Russell seized Riddle's gun, tied him up and fled.

### HUNTING FATALITY

Centralia, (AP)—Robert Ellison, 16, of Centralia, was fatally wounded yesterday when he stopped to pump a drink of water while hunting. The pump handle struck and discharged his shotgun.

Prehistoric men were afflicted with dental trouble, the same as we are today. The idea that they had perfect teeth arose from the fact that early archeologists picked out the most perfect specimens.

# REPORT DONAHEY URGED TO SEEK GOVERNORSHIP

## Ohio Nomination Helps Focus Attention on Race in Senate

Washington, Nov. 16—(AP)—Reports current at the capitol that New Dealers have urged Senator Donahey (D-Ohio) to seek the Democratic nomination for governor of Ohio helped focus attention today on 1940 races for 34 senate seats.

Donahey, a former governor of Ohio, was one of 25 Democrats whose terms expire in January, 1941. The tenure of seven Republicans, a Progressive and a Farmer-Laborite also will end at that time.

Donahey said more than a year ago he would not be a candidate for re-election, and was understood to have repeated that statement to friends shortly before he voted against the administration's neutrality bill in the special session of congress.

Despite this opposition vote, leading New Dealers were said to have urged Donahey to seek the governorship in a race which was expected to find Gov. John W. Bricker, Republican, a candidate to succeed himself.

Hale Not Likely to Run  
If Donahey does not seek re-election, he will be one of few senators to retire voluntarily. Senator Hale (R-Me) has told friends that he did not intend to be a candidate again.

One Republican strategist, who asked to remain anonymous, said it appeared unlikely to him that the Republicans could gain control of the senate before 1944. He predicted a maximum gain of eight Republican seats in the 1940 election.

The senate now is composed of 69 Democrats, 23 Republicans, 2 Farmer-Laborites, 1 Progressive and 1 Independent.

Both major parties may be fighting incumbents in Minnesota and Wisconsin, although there have been reports that Senator Shipstead (FL-Minn) might seek to come in under the Republican banner. Senator LaFollette (Prog-Wis) has said, however, that he expects to run again as a Progressive.

Two of the Democrats whose terms will expire are Senators Slattery of Illinois and Chandler of Kentucky. They were appointed this year to fill vacancies until the 1940 election.

### OHIO NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Hopper and daughter Barbara left here Monday morning for a three week trip through Arkansas, Texas and Oklahoma.

John Sheldon, supervisor of Fairfield township, was a business caller in town Tuesday afternoon.

John Simmons and family moved last week from Rochelle to the M. E. Dunn residence on Jackson street. Mr. Simmons is agent for the McNeess products.

Mrs. Mae Conner and daughters, Miss Margaret and Mrs. Harry Gorman spent the week-end at the Ivan Conner home in Decatur. Mr. Conner is remaining for a more extended visit.

Miss Patricia Burke of Chicago spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Burke.

High club prizes were won by Mrs. Mae Conner and Mrs. F. C. Albrecht at the Wednesday Bridge club which met last week with Mrs. J. M. O'Malley. Mrs. John Burnip was awarded guest prize.

Edward Duffy has recovered from a recent illness and has returned to his work in the W. F. Anderson hardware store.

Mrs. J. L. Pomeroy received word Thursday of the sudden death of her brother, Franklin B. Kiser on Wednesday, Nov. 8 at his home in High River, Alberta.

Canada. Mr. Kiser was a resident of Ohio for many years and was married to Miss Stella Fagan, a sister of Mrs. Mae Conner of this city. He is survived by his wife, two daughters, several grandchildren, his sister, Mrs. Pomeroy, and one brother, Irvin Kiser of Dover. A daughter preceded him in death.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Elgin spent Monday in Ohio and were accompanied home by the latter's mother, Mrs. Frances Parsons, who will spend the winter at the Elgin home in Peoria.

The Cherry high school basketball team played the Ohio high school team on the local floor on Tuesday night, the Cherry team winning by a score of 25 to 21.

### Grand Detour

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Thedie of Evanston were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Garner.

Mrs. Nancy Foxley spent the week-end in Dixon with her daughter, Mrs. Bert Whitcomb and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Peterson and son spent Sunday with the latter's parents at Caledonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sheller spent Sunday in Milwaukee, Wis., guests of the former's brother, Foster Sheller and family.

Mrs. Ashley Foxley was present at a birthday dinner on Sunday at the home of her parents in Peoria.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Parks and Dick Countryman attended a scramble dinner of the Lucky Twelve on Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Scholt in Dixon.

Miss Boss Pankhurst of Dixon called on friends here recently.

The Misses Virginia and Evelyn Schumacher of Dixon spent Sunday with their grandmother, Mrs. Albert Glessner and husband.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Reed and family were Dixon shoppers Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. William Winebrenner entertained a number of ladies at her home Monday evening, honoring her sister, Mrs. Carrie Nice of Sterling. 500 was the diversion of the evening.

Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the church we will again enjoy a musical treat. A male quartet and several other numbers will be presented, also a good speaker. Everyone welcome.

Skimmed milk is used in the manufacture of buttons Chemists, astounded at the enormous waste of milk after the cream had been removed, experimented and succeeded in producing a horn-like substance from it.

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# Boys Outnumber Girls Born Here in Past Month

Thirty-four babies, 16 girls and 18 boys, were born in Dixon during the month of October, according to the monthly report filed by City Clerk Wayne C. Smith. Names of the children, together with their birth dates and names of their parents, follow:

Oct. 2—A daughter, Donna Mae, to Henry Gerhardt and Inez Mae (Huyett) Frerichs, Nauvusa.

Oct. 2—A son, Melvin Lincoln, to Hubert Anderson and Lillie Frank (Cunningham) Gann, rural route 2, Dixon.

Oct. 2—A son, Robert William, to Hilda Pulliam, Dixon State hospital.

Oct. 5—A son, Charna Lee, to Lloyd Drev and Evelyn Louise (Hard) Wagner, 414 South Dixon avenue.

Oct. 5—A daughter, Anita Louise, to Peter D. and Eleanor (Walters) Christ, 1009 Third street.

Oct. 7—A daughter, Norma Jean, to Harold and Ida Mae (Warrenfeltz) Barnes, Franklin Grove.

Oct. 8—Twin sons, Donald Gene and Ronald Dean, to Marjorie Sheridan, Dixon State hospital.

Oct. 9—A daughter, Diane Louise, to John Corbus and Frances (Naylor) Hoffman, 325 North Galena avenue.

Oct. 10—A daughter, Joyce Elaine, to William Gordon and Wilma Lucile (Leahy) Smith, 63 Lincoln avenue.

Oct. 10—A daughter, Lucile Helen, to Robert and Helen (Cramer) Levan, rural route 2, Dixon.

Oct. 11—A daughter, Frances Mary, to Francis William and Edith Mae (Delhotel) Scully, rural route 3, Harmon, Ill.

Oct. 12—A daughter, Sue Ann, to John Frederick and Evelyn Elizabeth (Gatz) Cannon, rural route 1, Polo.

Oct. 13—A son, Paul Kenneth, to Henry Walter and Maude Geneva (Muggrave) Busker, 518 Seventh street, Dixon.

Oct. 17—A daughter, Shirley Louise, to Ernest and Mary Ellen (Brierton) Rhodes, rural route 1, Dixon.

Oct. 18—A son, Robert Marvin, to Robert Lester and Ruby Marie (James) Stacey, 337 Chamberlin, Dixon.

Oct. 19—A son, James Clark, to Earl Robert and Thelma Marie

(Childers) Huggins, 913 Third street.

Oct. 20—A son, Austin James, to James Geoffrey and Faith Elizabeth (Finch) Furlong, 122 Third street.

Oct. 21—A son, Ronald Edward, to Raymond Clement and Helen Eloise (Kreger) Duffy, Amboy.

Oct. 22—A daughter, Carol Corinne, to George and Mildred (Truthie) Carlson, 1803 First street.

Oct. 22—A son, Chester Eugene, to Chester Leland and Evelyn Marie (Walt) French, 322 Depot avenue.

Oct. 22—A daughter, Carol Sue, to Sealea Martin, Dixon State hospital.

Oct. 24—A daughter, Joan Elaine, to Charles Lawrence and Frederica Irene (McCardle) May, 719 Schuyler avenue, Kankakee.

Oct. 24—A daughter, Martha, to Robert Fiedling and Jeanette (Conn) Preston, 213 Crawford avenue.

Oct. 25—A son, Charles Utley Noble II, to Charles Utley and Emma Jane (Godfrey) Noble, 203 East Fellows street.

Oct. 25—A son, John Michael, to Dwight William and Viola (Bush) Hartzell, rural route 1, Dixon.

Oct. 26—A daughter, Anna May, to Lloyd Orlando and Dorothy Yvonne Miller, 404 Second street, Dixon.

Oct. 26—A son, John Thomas, to Frank and Anna R. (Blackburn) Howell, rural route 1, Dixon.

Oct. 27—A son, Y. Ole Henry, to Yvonne (Henry) Prestegard, 421 Fourth avenue.

Oct. 30—A son, Ronald Madis, to Madis E. and Elizabeth Jennia (Hitchcock) Ebens, rural route 1, Oregon.

Oct. 31—A daughter, Nancy Jane, to Arthur Thomas and Mary Jane Hoey, 1623 First street.

Oct. 31—A son, Michael Lane,

# War Lessons May Be Used by U. S. Navy

(By The Associated Press)

Washington, Nov. 6—Acting Secretary Charles Edison has said the navy was considering incorporating lessons from the European war in the designs of two new cruisers.

Without predicting they would

to Gordon Lynn and Gladys Jewel (Duke) Clark, rural route 1, Polo.


Oct. 31—A daughter, Sherrill Ann to Oscar Thomas and Esther Marie (Davis) Steder, 911 Long avenue.

Oct. 31—A son, Charles August, to August and Hazel (Torsen) Wimpberg, 1513 Third street.

be more powerful than Germany's raiding "pocket battleships," Edison told a press conference "we think that better types are possible."

The two cruisers, already appropriated for and named the Columbia and Cleveland, were to have been of 8,000 tons each, but Edison noted that provisions of the London treaty limiting them to this size had been suspended since the war started.

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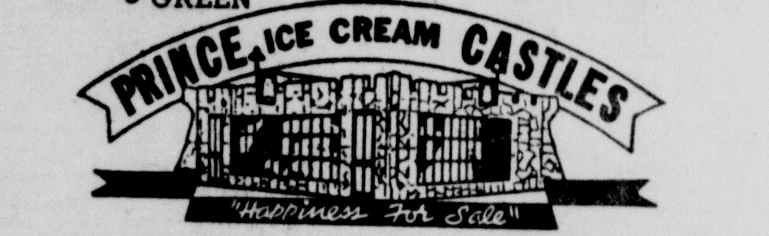
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